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MRS. RICHARDSON ON THE STAND

Testifies for Fife, Accused of Husband's Murder.

SHE IS OVERCOME BY EMOTION

HUSBAND KNEW WHENEVER SHE WAS WITH DEFENDANT.

State Closes Case and Attorney Outlines Defense, Which Will Be Alibi and May Involve Another Man.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAVANNAH, Mo., March 15.—The state closed its case a few minutes before 10 o'clock today in the trial of Stewart Fife for the Richardson murder.

Sheriff Holcomb, who testified last night, was recalled this morning and cross-examined. The clothing worn by Richardson the night he was killed, the plats and photographs, revolver and bullets were admitted in evidence. The jury examined the revolver and bullets carefully.

The prosecution asked to be allowed to introduce Lyda Fuson of St. Joseph on Monday or Tuesday, when she will be able to come to Savannah. She has stated that Fife made admissions to her after the killing of Richardson.

Judge Burnes indicated that he would allow the woman to testify when she is brought to Savannah. He said he would pass on the question when it comes before him at the proper time.

James W. Boyd, leading counsel for Fife, made the statement to the jury for his client. He began by telling of Thomas Fife growing interested in the Fife-Richardson Mercantile Co., and the coming of Stewart Fife to Savannah.

"When he first came here," said Mr. Boyd, "both Mr. and Mrs. Richardson paid him some attention. At the time, Mrs. Jenkins and others say they saw Fife and Mrs. Richardson riding together, Fife and his father were both at the Richardson house and Mr. Richardson proposed that they take a drive. The elder Fife did not go, and Richardson asked his wife to take Stewart and drive down to the square to water the horse.

Why Stewart Fife Went to Washington.

"The night they were seen on the steps by Lawrence McDaniel and others, Mrs. Richardson was looking for her husband, who was drunk. Mrs. Richardson came down town frequently and occasionally she met Stewart Fife. It will be shown that Stewart Fife was out of employment, and went out West. He went away in the ordinary way, and wrote letters back to his friends. Everybody knew where he was. He found employment at North Yakima and was known there by his right name, J. S. Fife.

"It will be shown by the evidence that Fife lost his revolver in Chicago, and that he never bought another one. The state has traced him around the square up to 8 o'clock. He was dropped at that hour and it will be necessary for the defense to fill in the gap. We will show that he was in the rooms of the Owl Club, as the state has already proven.

"It will be shown that another man was seen going west on the north side of the square, with his coat buttoned up and making some peculiar inquiries."

Attorney Boyd intimated that the revolver found by the Rickoff boy was placed there long after the murder of Richardson. That was the purpose of having the boy put another revolver in the sewer yesterday.

There is no surprise at the defense as outlined by the attorneys for Fife. The state has forced them into trying to prove that he was around the square the entire time that night, and there is no other course left open, in the opinion of those who have heard the evidence of the state.

Mrs. Addie Richardson was the first witness called to testify in Fife's behalf. Mrs. Richardson was dressed entirely in black, very much as she was at the Plattsburg trial.

She explained, under the questioning of Attorney Boyd, her presence with Stewart Fife, as testified to by the witnesses for the state.

She said she went riding with Fife June 1900, at the suggestion of her husband. Fife and his father were at the house at supper, she said, and she went with Fife to the public square to water the horse. He said her little son, Howell, was with them. At Lake Contrary, her husband was with them. Mrs. Richardson said, but went away to get a cigar. When seen on the stone steps with Fife, she said, she was looking for her husband, who was drunk.

"I never went riding with Stewart Fife alone but once," said Mrs. Richardson, "and that was at the request of my husband."

Mrs. Richardson said she was never in the old Catholic Church yard with Fife. She testified that her husband went to St. Joseph to take the Keely cure a short time before he was killed and remained there six weeks. She told of the time Bruce Stanton helped her to take him home, when Richardson quarreled with Fife on the street. She wept when she said her husband was not abusive when sober, but only when drunk. She told the story of the murder of her husband in the same words that she used at the Plattsburg trial.

Glazier Adds to His Story.

Charles Glazier, at one time a clerk in the Fife-Richardson store, told his story again yesterday and added more than he had ever told, either at the coroner's inquest or at the Plattsburg trial. Glazier said Fife told him, after the murder of Richardson, that he had been asleep in the rooms of the Owl Club.

Glazier also testified that Fife told him he lost his revolver in Chicago. Glazier said he went to the Richardson inquest and Fife asked him what was going on over there. Glazier said he told him they had Jeweler Kerns over there, asking him about the revolver Fife bought from him. Fife said:

"'You know I lost that revolver in Chicago when I was robbed.'

"What did you say?" asked Mr. Booher.

"I told him I had got the revolver after we came back from Chicago."

"You did see it after that?"

"Yes."

Fife's lawyers tried to get an admission from Glazier that he had been active in the prosecution of Fife, but he denied it.

He said he was engaged in business at Bloomington, Ill., and that George D. Crowley owns a half interest in the business.

"What was the feeling between Fife and Mr. Richardson?" Booher asked Glazier.

The defense objected, but Judge Burnes told the witness to answer.

"I don't think it was friendly," he said.

The state believes it has almost established the fact that, while Fife was really at the rooms of the Owl Club the night of the Richardson murder, he went there after 9 o'clock.

At 9:15 he was seen on the south side of the square by A. B. Kennard, who spoke to him. At 9:45, those witnesses say they were in the Owl Club rooms and Fife was not there.

BUTLER ASKS FOR A SPEEDY TRIAL

Anxious to Meet Attempted Bribery Charge.

GAVE BOND WITHOUT ARREST

JAMES CAMPBELL, LIFELONG FRIEND, WAS HIS SECURITY.

Indictment Is Based on Alleged Offers of Money to Board of Health Members in Garbage Case.

Edward Butler, who was indicted by the grandjury Friday afternoon on a charge of attempted bribery in connection with the garbage reduction contract, says that he desires a speedy trial.

"They can't bring this case to a head too soon for me," said Butler after he had been officially informed of the indictment against him and had given bond.

"No man can get on the witness stand and swear that I offered or attempted to offer a bribe to influence legislation. My mind is easy."

As was told in the late edition of Friday's Post-Dispatch, Butler gave bond immediately after learning of the indictment. The bond was in the sum of $1000, with James Campbell, the stock broker, as surety.

Butler was not arrested. He had anticipated the issuance of the bench warrant, and had arranged with the sheriff to give bond without the formality of an arrest in case an indictment should be returned.

When the warrant was asked for in court Friday afternoon, a telephone message was sent to Butler from the sheriff's office. The message found Butler at his office on Tenth street.

Driving to the Four Courts, Butler presented himself without delay at the sheriff's office and asked that a telephone message be sent to James Campbell. The message was sent, and the bondsman arrived 15 minutes later.

Indictment Not Returned to Court.

The amount of the bond was fixed at $1000, and when it had been signed, Butler and Campbell went their respective ways.

The indictment which served as the basis for the bench warrant has not been returned into court, and the allegations on which attempted bribery is charged have thus not officially been made public.

It is well known, however, that the indictment sprung from the charges made by Dr. H. N. Chapman and Dr. Albert Merrell of the board of health.

Dr. Chapman stated, in an interview published in the Post-Dispatch of Feb. 16, that Butler had offered him $2500 as a "present" while the approval of the garbage contract was pending before the Board of Health.

He said the same offer had been made to Dr. Merrell. Both offers were refused.

Councilman W. R. Hodges, Dr. Chapman's father-in-law, said that Dr. Chapman had told him that Butler tried to thrust the money on him and Dr. Merrell. The accepted version of the incident is that Butler tried to place a roll of bills in the front of the physicians' vests.

Drs. Chapman and Merrell and Capt. Hodges have been witnesses before the grandjury.

Public attention was directed to Butler's methods in influencing legislation by his voluntary statement, published in the Post-Dispatch and other papers, that he "delivered the goods" for a "fee" to corporations seeking legislation in the Assembly.

Butler has twice before been indicted by St. Louis grandjuries, but has never been convicted of crime.

SOME OF THOSE THE PAINTERS' STRIKE WILL NOT AFFECT



COLD WAVE IS DUE SUNDAY MORNING

DROP OF 20 TO 30 DEGREES IS THE PREDICITION.

RAIN OR SNOW WILL PRECEDE

Dr. Hyatt predicts that there will be freezing weather or worse for the parade in honor of St. Patrick Sunday afternoon. He says a cold wave is coming.

Saturday's temperature at 7 o'clock in the morning was 52. By the same hour Sunday morning, according to the weather prophet, there will be a drop of from 20 to 30 degrees, the temperature going down to freezing point and probably several degrees lower.



Not only this, but high winds are to accompany the cold wave, which will make the chill bite more keenly.

The only consolation offered is that it will be fair—probably. There are storms throughout the country. It is snowing in the northwest, and farther south it is raining. The Mississippi and the Ohio valleys are rain centers.

At Bismarck, S. D., a zero temperature is recorded, which is not promising for Easter illies.

PADEREWSKI PLAYED TO TRAINMEN IN THE YARDS AT UNION STATION

HIS COSTLY STRAINS HEARD FREE FOR 3 HOURS



PADEREWSKI.

In his private car, which has been sidetracked in the Twenty-first street yards, Paderewski played for three hours Friday night. He was rehearsing his opera and his only audience was his wife, two porters and the car cleaners and repairers, who had gathered about the coach.

When Paderewski pounds the keys,
Who hears the shriek of engine whistles?
Who heeds the whirr and whizz and wheeze
Of trains that pass like hissing missiles?
At other times such sounds as these
Assault like thorns and stick like thistles;
But when the soothful hum of beese,
The scourge of tempests—harmonies
And majesties of siren sound—
So fill and thrill the heavens 'round,
No ear for noises such as these—
When Paderewski pounds the keys!

Car cleaners and repairers in the railroad yards, south of Union Station, had three hours of Paderewski Friday night without paying a cent.

The great virtuoso and composer, in the music compartment of his private car, rehearsed many pieces, from his own opera and others, with only the workmen for auditors.

Smoking white cigarettes from Turkey and swigging black coffee from Brazil, replenished now and then by a black African from Boston, the great Paderewski pounded the keys of his grand upright piano until all the heavens—that is, from the tail of the carshed to the tip-end of the tunnel—were filled and thrilled with harmony.

Only the artist, his wife and the two negro porters were in the car. Outside were gathered all those who could quit their work for the time being, and elsewhere in the yards the workers went ahead with their duties, keeping time with the rhythm of the music, or, when it swelled into a tempest, being carried up on the swell.

"It's great, it is," said a bewhiskered veteran who was scrubbing the floor of a coach. "I never heard no sich pianny playin' sence my wife's sister died. It's great."

"It is not," retorted the man outside, who refused to cease knocking at a car wheel with his hammer. "It's rot, is what it is. I'd ruther hear Jim Smith play 'Arkansaw Traveler' on his old cracked fiddle, I would."

This man, perhaps, never read Bill Nye's remark that Wagnerian music is really better than it sounds. Otherwise he might have applied it to Paderewski.

But in the main the pianist's audience was captivated.

POWDERLY TO BE SHELVED

His Federal Office Has Been Tendered to Frank P. Sargent, Labor Leader.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The position of commissioner-general of Immigration has been tendered by the President to Frank P. Sargent, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, to succeed T. V. Powderly, the present incumbent. It is understood that the reason for the President's action in desiring to relieve Mr. Powderly is because he has not worked in harmony with the higher officials of the treasury department, which has resulted in more or less friction. It has also been determined to relieve Thos. Fitchie, commissioner at New York, and his assistant, Edward F. McSweeney. The changes, it is said, will take effect April 1, although it is not given out who will succeed the two latter officials.

ST. LOUIS IMPOSED UPON.

Destitute Persons, Forwarded From One City to Another, Left Here.

The Provident Association wishes to call attention to the manner in which St. Louis is imposed upon by surrounding cities by stating the facts in the case of Mrs. Camus, who, with six children, reached Union Station penniless Wednesday.

General Manager McClain said: "Investigation showed that, in the space of two months, the Camus family had been in 12 cities and towns, and that the authorities in each place shipped the destitute family to a neighboring town. They were sent from Washington, Mo., to St. Louis."

Mr. McClain will endeavor to arrange some plan by which they may remain here.

LARGE CLAIM UNDER WILL.

Dr. A. M. Cheney Sues P. D. Cheney Estate for $29,164.43.

The largest claim ever filed against an estate in the probate court in Jersey, Ill., was filed by Dr. Alexander M. Cheney against T. S. Chapman, executor under the will of P. D. Cheney, deceased, for $29,164.43, the amount received by P. D. Cheney as trustee for A. M. Cheney under the will of Mary D'Arcy, grandmother of Dr. A. M. Cheney.

Wants Edward Weber Sent to Asylum.

Otto Weber of Kirkwood applied to the court at Clayton Friday for an order to place his brother, Edward Weber of Kirkwood, in an asylum.

Edward Weber formerly was prominent in Kirkwood politics. It is averred by his brother that he became suddenly insane a week ago.

EIGHTY PRIESTS WILL PARTICIPATE

CEREMONY AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH MONDAY.

FATHER DEMPSEY IN CHARGE

Patron Church at Sixth and Biddle Will Commemorate Occasion With Great Pomp.

Elaborate preparations have been made by the parishioners of St. Patrick's Church, under the direction of the pastor, Father Timothy F. Dempsey, to celebrate the feast of Ireland's patron saint, on next Monday morning. St. Patrick's day proper, at the church, Sixth and Biddle streets.

The altar has been magnificently decorated for the occasion, the chief effect having the appearance of a garden in full bloom. The decorations are in charge of Mr. Connor.

The 40 hours' devotion commenced Saturday morning.

Archbishop John J. Kain and 80 priests from St. Louis and various outside points will be present at the mass.

Father Daniel W. Clarke will act as celebrant of the mass.

Father Patrick Dooley will serve as deacon, Father J. L. Mulvihill as subdeacon and Rev. John White as master of ceremonies.

The mass will commence at 10 o'clock. An excellent musical program has been arranged for the occasion. The following will take part: Mmes. T. de Martenl, W. T. Dowdell, J. McGlynn, L. Cicardi; Misses G. de Vine, G. Tierney, M. McDonald, J. Guide, L. Frank, A. McHale, M. K. Dempsey, K. Butterfield, L. Rooney, M. Kinnerk, M. Guide, M. O'Hara, A. Kinnerk, A. Flaherty, A. Tierney, M. de Vine, M. Mullaney. Messrs. Charles Herr, R. A. Bacon, P. J. McGlynn, J. Flynn, W. F. Burke, J. Spain, T. Cleary, J. Ellison, J. Martineau, G. Grace, P. J. Staed, T. Tierney, R. Rice, M. Delahunt, F. Collins, W. Dowdell, J. Dougherty, M. Gilalm.

M. McHale, organist.

INSURANCE CHANGES DESIRED.

Superintendent Wagner Will Recommend Radical Revision of Law.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 15.—Thomas H. Wagner, sperintendent of the state insurance department, announced this morning that, in his forthcoming annual report to the governor, he would recommend the repeal of the laws of this state in regard to assessment life insurance companies, which would bar these conpanies from doing business.

He will also recommend the repeal of the laws governing stipulated premium life insurance companies, and recommend new laws. Changes in regard to frateral companies placing themselves directly under the supervision of the state insurance department and the repeal of the valued policy law will be asked.

WRECK ON NICKEL PLATE.

Train Ran Into Open Switch and Four Were Injured.

KNOX, Ind., March 15.—The westbound Nickel Plate passenger train, due here at 2:50 p. m., ran into an open switch. The following persons were severely injured:

A. A. Schwind, engineer, Fort Wayne.
Jim Dalton, fireman, Fort Wayne.
C. L. Alexander, baggage master, Cleveland, O.
William Browe, mail clerk, Cleveland, O.

The train was running at a high speed when it collided with a number of freight cars which were standing on the sidetrack. The baggage coach was torn to pieces, and the engine and six freight cars were piled in a heap, and destroyed by fire. The fire raged for several hours, blockading all traffic for over four hours.

PARADERS WILL DISREGARD COLD

ST. PATRICK'S PAGEANT WILL MOVE UNLESS RAIN FALLS.

30,000 WILL BE IN LINE

Societies Will Start From Twelfth and Olive Streets at 2 O'Clock Sunday Afternoon.

"The St. Patrick's Day parade will be carried out Sunday afternoon according to schedule, regardless of cold weather," said P. R. Fitzgibbon, corresponding secretary of the Irish Catholic Parade Union, Saturday.

"If it should rain Sunday afternoon, the parade would be postponed for a week.

"Not less than 30,000 persons will probably be in line."

The starting point will be at Twelfth and Olive streets. The line of march will be east on Olive to Broadway, north on Broadway to O'Fallon, west on O'Fallon to Sixth, south on Sixth to Washington, west on Washington to Twelfth, south on Twelfth to Olive, west on Olive to Seventeenth, north on Seventeenth to Locust, west on Locust to Compton, north on Compton to Washington, west on Washington to Grand, south on Grand to Lindell, west on Lindell to Vandeventer, countermarching around Kenrick Square, east on Lindell to Grand, review by grand marshal and staff and disbandment.

The procession will start from Twelfth and Olive streets at 2 o'clock.

Capt. McNamee and three platoons of mounted police will head the line, and will be followed by Rev. John A. Tracy, grand marshal, and his staff of 100. The officers of the parade union will come next in carriages, and the six divisions of the line will follow.

The uniform rank, Knights of Father Mathew, will head the first division, and the parishes of the city will follow. At the head of the fourth division will be the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Green Hat brigade.

The division aids for the six divisions in order are Con Boland, N. J. O'Hanlon, Thomas Knox, Con P. Curran, Thomas H. Quinn and John M. Roche.

THE REED BIRD

High on a blade of marshland rice
The pretty reed bird swings;
The reed bird's fortune doth suffice
To prompt the song he sings.
Now he is very glad indeed,
And none his song may match—
For none, forsooth, but reed birds read
The Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Here are some of the things the reed bird will read tomorrow:

The Engelmann Botanical Society experts say St. Louis can never be a beautiful city until it shall have trees. They tell what kinds of trees may be raised, how they should be looked after, and many other things that should be known by every householder. The story is illustrated with photographs of trees, the right and wrong methods of pruning and planting, etc.

George H. Primrose and Lew Dockstader are all that are left of the old minstrel guard. Three others have died within the last sixty days. Primrose reviews the career of the black-face artists for the Sunday Post-Dispatch. He was contemporary with Jack Haverly and all the other famous minstrels who tickled millions of Americans in their day.

A story and picture of the great Gold of Ophir rose bush at South Pasadena, Cal.

Need American singers go to Europe to study their art? Adelaide Norwood, prima donna of the Castle Square Opera Company, thinks not. Ethel Houston Du Fre of the same company thinks the European training, except in a few instances, is indispensable. These ladies discuss this interesting question in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

The appropriation of $75,000 for snag pulling in the Missouri river this year arouses an interest to know if this great river is to be finally abandoned, as announced a year ago, or is again to have the care of Congress. The Missouri is, in more than one respect, the most interesting of rivers. The possibility of improving it, the history of navigation upon it, and the mistakes that have been made in handling it, are considered tomorrow by such authorities as Col. Amos Stickney, president of the Mississippi River Commision and at the head of the Missouri River Commission; Capt. A. W. Miller, a Missouri River steamboatman, and Capt. H. M. Crittenden, a farmer secretary of the Missouri River Commission. The story is illustrated with a government chart, showing the location of the numerous wrecks along the Missouri, a display not equaled by any other river chart in the world.

A. N. Milner, a former St. Louis street commissioner, has invented an armored automobile which he thinks will be so terribly destructive that it will make war too awful to be indulged in. A picture of this fighting machine on wheels accompanies the story.

The monster parade for St. Patrick will occur in St. Louis tomorrow. These parades have been maintained in St. Louis for a hundred years, and they are exceptional for the reason that in no other city are the grand marshals selected from the priesthood. It is expected that more than 20,000 St. Louisans will march tomorrow. See the story and photographs in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Miss Natalie Geisel of 3812 Cleveland avenue, St. Louis, appeared at a recent fancy dress ball at the Union Club in a World's Fair costume of her own designing. It was a very elaborate creation, and makes a striking picture. The photographs of Miss Geisel in her costume make up a color page in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

The parrot, the yellow kid, Little Red Riding Hood and many other funny things for children in the wonder picture page of tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch. It's just like Aladdin's wonderful lamp; you rub it, and lo, riches are yours.

Women are stronger than men and two eyes beat one in the clever little illustrated tricks in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

St. Louis spiritualists gave a masquerade party, and pictures of some of the dancers in their costumes were taken for the Sunday Post-Dispatch. They will be printed tomorrow.

Girls are street car conductors in Chillicothe, O., and they have increased the earnings of the company. Who wouldn't ride? Read it.

Mme. Wallman, a New York modiste, discusses fashions with Harriet Hubbard Ayer in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

A. M. Strong is the most-traveled St. Louisan. He goes to many parts of the world in an unique way. He has no money, so you may guess how he does it. But it is done esthetically. He is just home from service with Kitchener's hospital corps in South Africa. He takes his own photographs and tells his own story, and you'll like them.

Miss Carrie Dickson Cook, one of the very handsome young women of St. Louis, is to marry Edward Louis Prestorius, April 9. A splendid picture of the bride-elect in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Brown of Hagerstown, Ind., have been married 72 years. Photographs of this venerable couple, and a story of their remarkable married life.

Mrs. Leslie Carter acts the part of Du Barry until she lives it in her dreams. She has been guillotined 22 times in dreams so vivid she could feel the knife on her throat. Lavinia Hart tells this story in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Tommy Stringer, a 15-year-old boy at Jamaica Plains, Mass., is as wonderful as Helen Keller. Deaf, dumb and blind, the boy is an inventor. Read the story about him in tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch.

The St. Louis Provident Association conducts classes in which boys and girls of St. Louis are taught to sew, cook and weave baskets. Photographs with this story tomorrow.

St. Louis blind pupils read the Post-Dispatch every day. How do they do it? See the story and picture tonorrow.

The big prizes offered by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in the flying machine contest has aroused inventive genius as it was never awakened before. It has sent every Darius to his workshop, and every Icarus to his wings of wax. See the story from the United States patent office in tomorrow's Post-Dispatch. It is an illustrated story and tells what some of the new ideas are like.

UNION PAINTERS ARE ON STRIKE

1400 MEN QUIT THEIR EMPLOYMENT FRIDAY NIGHT.

ASK 60 CENTS MORE A DAY

Barbers in Residence District May Go Out Today and Imperil Sunday Shaves.

Walhalla Hall was taxed to its capacity with striking union painters Saturday morning. Hundreds were obliged to remain outside.

Each member of the International Brotherhood received a card, requiring him to report at headquarters twice a day. If he fails to report it will be taken for granted that he is at work and an assessment will be levied against him.

Friday evening, at the quitting hour, about 1400 members of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers told their employers that they would not return to work until their demand for an advance in wages, made six months ago, is granted.

The present wage scale is 37½ cents an hour, which the painters desire increased to 45 cents. Eight hours constitute a day's work.

Both house and sign painters are included. Glaziers also belong to the brotherhood.

The strikers held a meeting Friday night at Lightstone's Hall, Eleventh street and Franklin avenue, and discussed the outlook.

Sunday shaves in St. Louis will cost 15 cents hereafter, boss barbers in the business district having a contract with the Journeymen Barbers' International Union calling for the advance of five cents.

The boss barbers in the residence districts of the city had refused to sign the agreement up to Saturday morning, and it was announced that the union would call out the journeymen later in the day unless the bosses signed. In that event the Sunday shave in the residence sections tomorrow will be home-made.

The strike of 30 linemen of the Imperial Electric Light, Heat and Power Co. remains unsettled.

Sixty upholsterers who had been on strike for a month from Prufrock's establishment at 1441 North Sixth street have returned to work, the wage difference having been adjusted.

MURRELL AGAIN LOSES

His Motion to Quash Indictment for Bribery Is Overruled by Judge Douglas.

Judge Douglas this morning overruled the motion of J. K. Murrell's attorneys to quash the indictment for bribery against him.

The judge made no announcement further than this fact.

The trial is docketed for Tuesday next. Plaintiff has thus far failed in every attempt to secure delay. There remains but one more, that is to disqualify Judge Douglas. Success in this would delay trial only one day.

C. AUGUST FORSTER DEAD

Manager of Hyde Park Brewery Died From Operation for Carbuncle on Neck.

C. August Forster, manager of the Hyde Park Brewery, died at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, at his home, 1428 East Grand avenue, aged 41 years.

Mr. Forster's death resulted from an operation for a carbuncle on the neck.

Mr. Forster was a native of St. Louis and was the son of the late Marquard Forster.

A widow and three children, the eldest a son of 17 years, survive him. Four sisters and three brothers are also living.

The funeral will be held from the family residence Monday afternoon.

TWO HUMBLE "SQUATTERS" SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF CLEAR RIVER WATER

THEY FIND NATURE'S METHOD OF FILTRATION THE BEST



Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEHOLD OF MR. AND MRS. MILLARD F. KNOTT.

Mr. and Mrs. Knott have pitched their tent on the banks of the Mississippi in the shadow of Merchants' bridge. Fresh eggs, clear water and plenty of air give them the comforts of life.

Mr. and Mrs. Knott, by Sinking a Pipe on the Banks of the Mississippi, Obtain a Fluid as Transparent as Crystal.

Under the giant shadow of Merchants' bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fillmore Knott, late of Posey County, Ind., worked vigorously all day Friday to solve the problem of clear water and satisfactory filtration.

Two blocks above their humble tent on the Mississippi bank workmen were cleaning the Bissell Point basin, where water pumped by great machinery is settled for a city's use.

In view of this, by a strange anachroism, this couple set about to secure clear water by natural methods.

They dug a hole a hundred yards away from the river bank and sunk a two-inch pipe 20 feet until it touched the quicksand. The end of the pipe was perforated and the clear water which filters from the river through the quicksand bed filled the pipe half way up. A suction pump which Knott rigged brought the clear water to the surface.

Thus, while St. Louis wails at muddy water, Knott, dwelling by the river side, fills his pails with crystal water, filtered pure in his own private filtration plant. He lives in a tent, hard-by his well.

The river gives Knott more than clear water, it bore him and his shanty boat a thousand miles, it built up the land he occupies, rent free, and on its generous bosom it bears to his door more fuel than he can use. Fish are his for the fishing, and he wakes each morning to face a sunrise that would make a painter's paradise.

Mrs. Knott owns the pet turkey, "Gabby," and 20 hens who lay a dozen eggs a day.

Pray do not waste sympathy pitying the lot of these "squatters," who have free land, free living and never face the landlord.

THE NEWEST BOOKS

THE fame of Stephen Phillips is well sustained by "Ulysses." It is a poetic drama which deserves a place by "Paola and Francesca" and "Herod."

Mr. Phillips follows the Homeric thread in the main, but not slavishly. Homeric in subject, the work is not wholly Greek in treatment. There are many emphatic modern touches which stimulate thought by the contrast with Greek ideas.

As poetry, the drama is beyond praise and its success in London is evidence of its excellence as a stage play. ("Ulysses," a drama in a prologue and three acts. By Stephen Phillips. The Macmillan Co., New York.)

"The Imitator" is a clever bit of work. Its cleverness is its chief, it may be, its only virtue.

In the pages of this book are reflected the inanities, the insanities, the fooleries, of that curiously uninteresting portion of society known as the four hundred. As a study of manners, it is no doubt a faithful rendering of the fact; only the manners are not worth while; the morals are without salt and lack all savor. Nobody has robust virtue or robust wickedness. Not one of them is worth a study. The society is emasculated, boneless, bloodless. Everybody yawns. Yawning, in fact, is the one activity which is in good form.

But the society craves sensation. So one chap, a little more bored than his fellows, goes in for the occult—for soul study, soul catching, magic mirrors, swapping personalities and other choice bits, breathless follies which just now are popular in some quarters. This chappie, who isn't a bad sort, indeed is a very decent fellow when he isn't tired, makes things interesting for himself and his friends until they get tired again. By and by his conscience and manhood are awakened by a woman—a real woman, and strangely enough he becomes a man.

The reader will recognize some of the characters in this book. They have been made familiar in the columns of the newspapers.

The skill and fidelity of the portraiture of shadow men and women displayed in this book deserve praise.

It is not a highly moral book. It is not written to meet a moral proposition. It is not written for the unsophisticated. But one might find a moral in it—the utter weariness of the vapid and aimless life and the vanity and vexations of social and theatrical ambition. We may find also the sham of social and literary pretension.

But one thing must be said for the book—it is interesting. If you pick it up you will not be likely to put it down until you have reached the end of the author's clever sayings and ingenious devices for holding your attention. (Published by William Marion Reedy, St. Louis.)

G. W. DILLINGHAM CO. have republished "Josh Billings' Old Farmer's Alminax, 1870-1879," with comic illustrations and a portrait of Henry W. Shaw, the original and only Josh Billings. Besides reviving old memories, it was worth while to issue these quaint and clever writings of one of America's foremost humorists in book form. They are full of dry humor and excellent advice, based on a deep insight of human nature. Here are samples of the odd bits scattered through the "Alminax:"

"When the vice and virteur in a man iz about haff and haff, he wants az mutch cluss watching az a bile duz when it iz cumming to a hed."

"Thare may cum a time when the lion and the lam will lie down together—i shall be az glad to see it az annyboddy—but i am still betting on the lion."

"If yu are going to make amuzement a stiddy bizzness, ketching flies iz az good az enny."

"The cheapest and best way to convince a phool is to agree with him."

After enjoying the hundreds of nuggets of wisdom in these "Alminax," one can appreciate the indorsements of the press of the seventies, of which this is an example, supposed to be from Harper's Bazar: "Welcome, sweet morsel of delight, ever funny, and ever profound, Josh Billings' Farmer's Alminax for the current year." There was only one Josh Billings, and pity 'tis he's dead.

A story of a love that runs by no means smoothly is woven into Owen Wister's new book, The Virginian: A Horseman of the Plains. The hero is a young Virginian in the cowboy life of the West. The Macmillan Co. will publish the book in April.

The most incisive and most keenly analytical sketches of public men which have been prepared during the past two years have been those of William Allen White. The humorous little episode between Mr. White and Mr. Thomas C. Platt is still fresh in the public memory. Mr. White's sketch for March appears in the Cosmopolitan and is on the late President Harrison. It will be read with wide interest by both the opponents and friends of that statesman.

Fords, Howard & Hulbert, New York, will bring out immediately another volume in their Nuggets series, entitled "Good Cheer Nuggets." The excerpts are from Maeterlinck, Prof. Le Conte, Victor Hugo and Horatio W. Dresser, and have been selected by Miss Jeanne G. Pennington, compiler of the "Don't Worry Nuggets" and some others of this popupiar little series. With its hopeful authors and its happy title it should make an apt Easter gift.

A second edition of Ulysses is on the press. The first edition was taken up within 10 days of publication.

A PHILOSOPHICAL work of great importance is Benjamin Kidd's "Principles of Western Civilization."

This, it would seem, is the first volume of a new "system of evolutionary philosophy," but is complete in itself.

Mr. Kidd's mind is notable for its integrity and continuity. This book is the natural successor of "Social Evolution," published some years ago. The thought is essentially the same, but unfolded, developed and freshly applied.

The author supplies what he believes to be a correction to the current doctrine of progress. The philosophers of England, including Spencer, find the law in present efficiency; rather, thinks this author, progress depends upon future efficiency.

"The imagination of the early Darwinians," says Mr. Kidd, "had been impressed with the struggle for existence as they perceived it in the immediate foreground. It was the effects on the existing individuals of this ceaseless contemporary struggle which occupied their attention, and became the subject of most of their theories. In the larger view which now begins to prevail, what we see is, as it were, the battleground on which natural selection produces the most important results in the struggle of life projected into the vast stretches of the future. It is those apparently irresolvable phenomena of reproduction, sex, variation, death and heredity which become in this respect the centers of struggle around which the main problems of efficiency in the drama of evolution are worked out by the law of natural selection. In the struggle, as we now begin to see it, the interests of the individual and the present alike are presented as overlaid by the interests of a majority which is always in the future."

This, Mr. Kidd calls the law of "projected efficiency."

All the observed phenomena are subordinate to this law. The trust movement, for instance, is an attempt to sacrifice both past and future to the present. The trust is a masterpiece of greed and must give way to a saner, more social development. It is the last word of competition.

The law of projected efficiency will work out through the Anglo-Saxon conception of equality, which cannot be fitted into any present fact but is an ineradicable affection of the Anglo-Saxon character.

The book is rich and suggestive. It will inform and stimulate.

("Principles of Western Civilization," by Benjamin Kidd. The Macmillan Co., New York. Price, $2.00.)

Messrs. A. S. Barnes & Co. will shortly publish Mr. Charles Burr Todd's monograph on Col. Aaron Burr, under the general title "The True Aaron Burr." In later life Col. Burr took into his law office several young men of brilliant parts whom he educated for the bar, and some of whom he adopted. To these young men who had his confidence he was fond of talking of the men and events of his career. Some of these men Mr. Todd was privileged to know and to him as a collateral descendant of Col. Burr and the historian of his family, they repeated his reminiscences and talked more freely of his plans and purposes as revealed by him than they would have done to a stranger, so that Mr. Todd's little book, in so far as it relates to Col. Burr's career in controversy, may be said to have been inspired by that gentleman himself. Edward Everett Hale, who has made a study of Burr, thinks Mr. Todd has gotten hold of some curious and original documents.

Mr. George Edward Graham's book entitled "Schley and Santiago" is an historical account of the blockade and destruction of the Spanish fleet.

Mr. Graham was on board the Brooklyn during the campaign and his testimony is that of an eyewitness. That he sympathizes with Admiral Schley, in the unfortunate controversy which arose out of the peculiar circumstances of the battle was to have been expected. But he is not a partisan. His book is that of a trained observer and is a contribution to naval history of considerable worth.

FRANK R. STOCKTON'S latest novel, "Kate Bonnet," is a story of love, incident, adventure and humor. Mr. Stockton introduces an ex-major in the English army, who has become a colonial planter, and, desiring to get rid of a shrewish second wife, evolves a wild ambition to become a pirate. His daughter Kate, good looking and accomplished, of course, tries to win him from his desires, but fails. The story revolves around these two as principals, but there are other characters of almost equal interest. Ben Greenway, a stalwart Scotch Presbyterian, refuses to let Maj. Bonnet "lose" him on any pretext, and is continually at his elbow, even in his most bloodthirsty and piratical moods, quoting scriptural texts at him, all without exception insuring him a sulphurous hereafter if he does not abandon his unlawful designs. It finally comes to such a pass that the major tries to commit some atrocious deed, just to prove to Greenway that he is a real, deep-dyed buccaneer.

Mr. Stockton has made every character a type. He draws out all possible humor, and gets the actors into the most surprising situations. The book is handsomely printed in a new type, and is enjoyable from cover to cover.

(D. Appleton & Co., New York.)

"The Plan of the Model City," by Charles Mulford Robinson, in the March Criterion, treats of the Municipal Art and Science exhibit at the approaching St. Louis Exposition and sets forth the unique plans of the Exposition directors to show the advances in municipal improvement.

Doubleday, Page & Co., early in March, publish "The Mystery of the Sea," by Bram Stoker, a story of modern life on the English seacoast in which an American heiress figures as the heroine. One may feel assured that the author of "Dracula" has written an unusual story, full of weird imagination. An ingenious elaboration and application of the Baconian cipher, which it contains, is said to be both novel and absorbing.

MR. W. T. STEAD writes readable books. One of the best is his latest, "The Americanization of the World, or the Trend of the Twentieth Century."

Mr. Stead is convinced that the whole world is to be leavened by American reform by the infusion and prevalence of American ideas.

Among the possibilities, Mr. Stead suggests the federation of the English-speaking peoples. The basis for a reunion is to be American hegemony, London to take second place to Washington. One of the first steps toward this reunion is the adoption of the Fourth of July by England as a national fete day. If that is not acceptable let Shakspeare's birthday be adopted by both countries as the day of the signature of Magna Charter or the 3d of September, the day in 1783 on which King George acknowledged American independence.

A supreme power is necessary in the world and the Anglo-Saxon Americanized should be that power. "A reunited Anglo-Saxondom"—that is the future great power.

Mr. Stead is always interesting and stimulating. He is afflicted with the American malady of bigness, but that does not detract from the worth of his suggestion.

"The Americanization of the World," by W. T. Stead. Horace Markley, New York.

"The Riddle of Life," by J. Wesley Johnson, is a narrative of events, not unusual in themselves, but placed in position with a charm and freshness that adds much to the enjoyment of the story. The action of the plot, including the inevitable love affair, ranges from the heart of financial and banking circles in New York, to the rough mining districts of the West, and this gives the author opportunity for some good descriptive work.

Jennings & Pye, Cincinnati.

MR. ARCHIBALD R. COLQUHOUN, author of "The Mastery of the Pacific," is well prepared for such a work by years of travel, by public service in the Orient, by studies in geography and history and an intimate acquaintance with Chinese and international questions connected with the East derived from long experience as special correspondent of the London Times in the Far East.

The book is mainly descriptive. It will provide both the student and the general reader a solid basis of facts. Geographical, ethnological, political and commercial conditions are stated graphically and abundantly illustrated with special maps and a hundred or more halftones from original sketches and photographs.

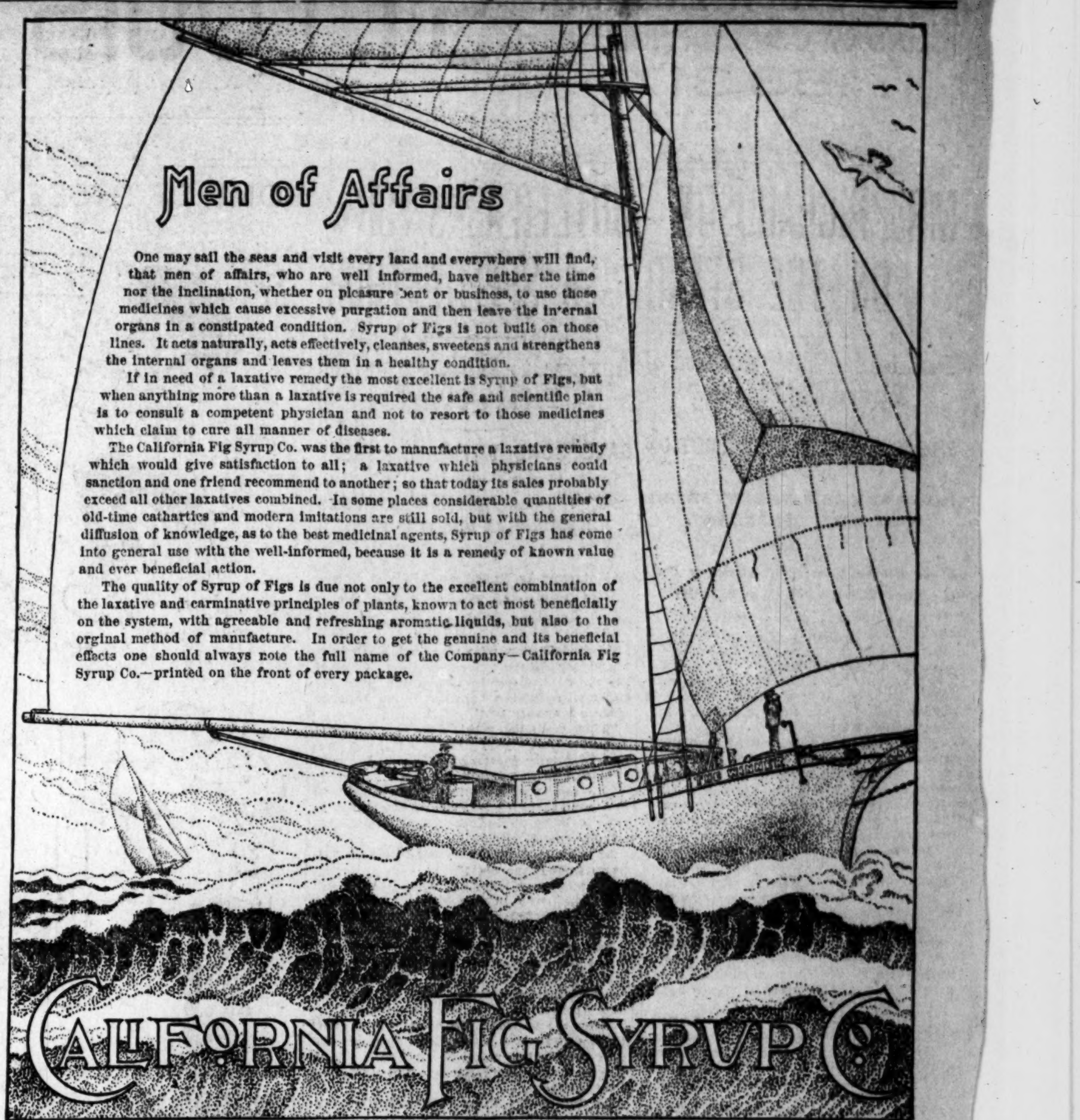
Following the introduction, which is a general survey of the Pacific, are chapters devoted to a close view of the positions held in the Pacific by the great powers, especially the United States and Great Britain; the Dutch, Japanese, Germans and Russians are allotted a goodly space.

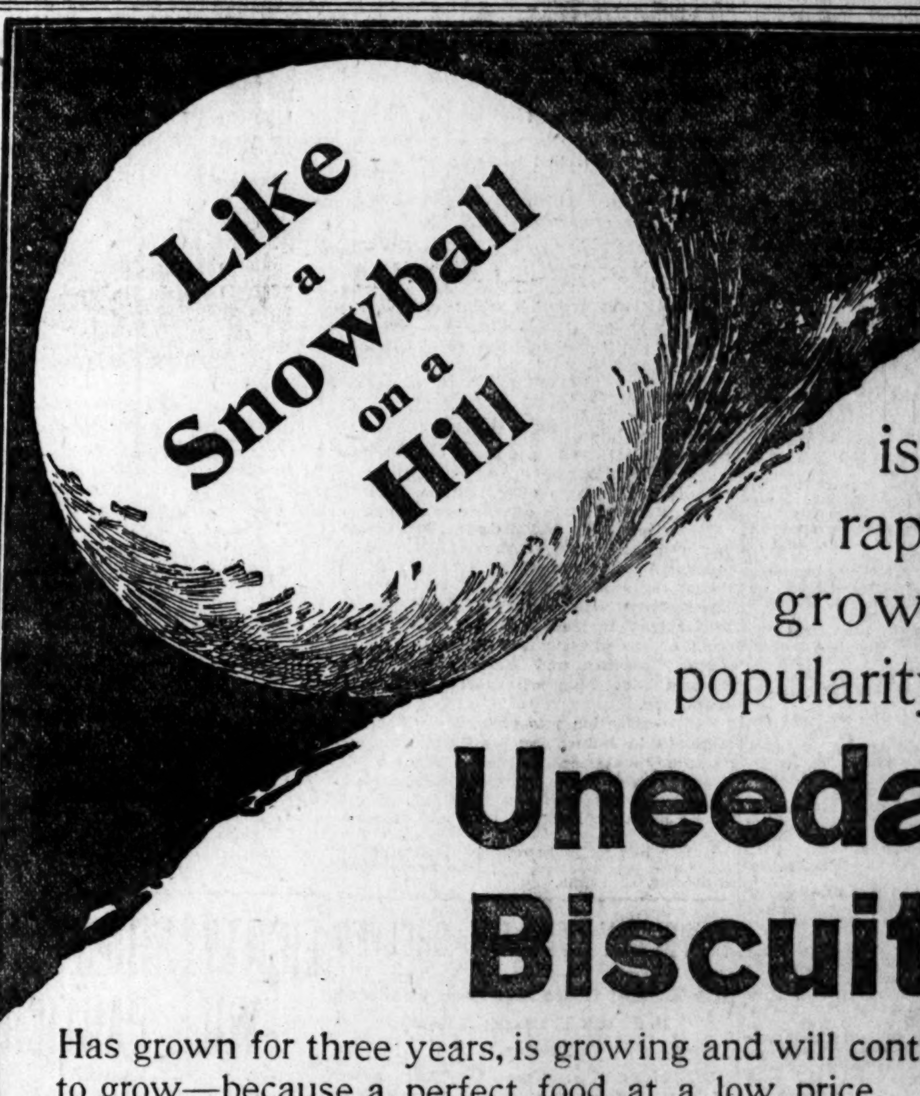
The American reader will naturally turn to the chapters on the Philippines, which Mr. Colquhoun has studied intimately at first hand.

The Pacific is to be the theater of vast conflicts in the future. Questions of peace and war will be settled on that great ocean. Mr. Colquhoun's book is a good handbook to keep by one as the drama unfolds.

("The Mastery of the Pacific." By A. R. Colquhoun. The Macmillan Co., New York.)

An unusual photographic feature in the March Country Life in America are some pictures of live fish-hawks, or ospreys, taken by Alfred J. Meyer. The birds are shown on the wing and about their huge nests, which are the largest of any American bird. Though the nest is usually built on an inaccessible ledge, or in the top of giant trees, the camera was placed within a few feet of it, and the rare beauty of the sea eagles is quite as unique as that of the camera shots of big game, by A. G. Wallihan, which are represented on other pages of this beautiful magazine.





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BLIZZARD IN THE NORTHWEST

Breath Will Be Felt tin Western Missouri, Where Temperature Will Fall 35 Degrees.

According to a warning sent out from the weather bureau at Washington Saturday, a cold wave, causing the temperature to fall from 35 to 45 degrees, will sweep over Western Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory before Sunday morning.

The advance guard of the wave made its appearance in these districts Saturday morning when the mercury began to fall suddenly.

The low temperature originated in the Northwest, where a blizzard of great severity is raging.

At Laramie, Wyo., a storm has been on 86 hours. The snow is drifting on the railroad tracks and an interruption of traffic is imminent.

Over a foot of snow has fallen through Colorado and snowslides are feared in the mountain regions.

North and South Dakota are also in the teeth of the blizzard.

Kenrick Degrees.—The degree of deacon will be conferred Saturday on the following students of Kenrick Seminary, who were given the degree of the subdeacon by Archbishop Kain, Friday: Joseph A. Richarz, S. J. Zielinski, John F. Hoeshen, Frank J. Gerhold, Michael B. Morrissy, Anthony H. Rohling and John Peters, St. Louis; John Schueth, Indianapolis, Ind.; William J. Carroll, Little Rock, Ark.; Bernard A. Mohan, Leavenworth, Kan.; Patrick F. Harvey, Kansas City, Mo.; John D. Woceschowski, Wichita, Kan.; William F. Walter, Belleville, Ill.; Frank J. Springer, Portland, Ore., and Bernard J. Deeny, Dallas, Tex. They will be ordained priests next June.

AN EVENTFUL DAY

When Coffee Left the Household.

"I never began to use coffee until after I began teaching school, then a good, motherly old dame served such nice coffee that she got me into the way of drinking it.

Inside of a year I became a wreck from insomnia and nervous prostration. Every afternoon I was so drowsy and filled with apprehension that I would have crying spells without knowing why.

I laid around the house in misery, and was a misery to every one else. Once in a while a friend would tell me that coffee was the cause of my trouble. I reasoned with them that I only had one cup at breakfast and that was not enough to cause the trouble, but I found that that was the secret—that one cup of coffee.

It was an eventful day in our household when I quit coffee and started making Postum. I followed the directions and the result was wonderful; no other words express it. The Postum Coffee was of a rich, beautiful color, and when cream was added looked as delicious as it tasted.

A doctor who was in the house tasted the Postum and said that it was equal to the best Mocha or Java, then quickly turned away as though it was incomprehensible. He suspected there was coffee in it but I have been assured of the absolute purity of the Postum and have confidence in it.

Nothing ever tasted better to me than that first, well-made cup of Postum, and never since have I tasted coffee, and I now look back with horror upon the sickness it caused. We began, very quickly, to see the difference between my condition under Postum and under common coffee. I lost that feeling of despair and restlessness which oppressed me every afternoon and I began to sleep like a baby. Postum must be given the credit for all my improvement.

A word about tea also. One time when I was visiting I had a package of Postum with me. It gave out and before I could get another I had tea for breakfast. Within a few days the old wretched feeling that coffee used to give me came back, and all through the long afternoon I felt that I must weep and weep though really over nothing at all.

Insomnia came back, but I quickly quit the tea and got all right again." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum is an absolutely pure product of the cereals as analyzed by some of the best chemists in America and passed upon by the various pure food commissioners of the different states.

BRIEF NEWS ABOUT ST. LOUIS

Skull Fractured by Hammer.—Fred Gauss, 29 years old, of 1838 South Fourteenth street, was received at the City Hospital Friday, suffering with a fracture of the skull. He says he was struck over the head by a man named Sakuel Thiel.

One bottle of Burnett's Vanilla Extract is better than three of the doubtful kind. Though costing a few cents more, its great strength makes it the most economical.

Dr. Elliott Will Lecture.—Dr. John L. Elliott, colleague of Prof. Felix Adler of New York City, will deliver an address at Memorial Hall on the subject, "Death and Its Consolations," Monday night.

Cold Damp Feet Won't Give You a Cold If you will take in time Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. E. W. Grove's signature on box.

Searching for Dake Biddle.—Dr. William M. Biddle of Columbia, Tenn., has written to Capt. Campbell of the Tenth Police District, asking him to locate his son, Dake Biddle, who came to St. Louis about March 8.

For Bruises—Use Salva-cea.

It relieves the pain and prevents inflammation or stiffness. Also invaluable for burns, chafings, chilblains, earache, catarrh, cold in head, skin irritations and piles. Try a box and you'll never be without it. 25c and 50c at druggists' or by mail. Salva-cea, 274 Canal street, New York.

Fr. Moran Dangerously Ill.—Father Thomas Moran, a veteran missionary and Chaplain of the St. Joseph's Orphan Home, is at the Alexian Hospital dangerously ill. He suffered an attack of grip two weeks ago. Father Moran is 62 years old.

Guardian for Ora Cody.—Mrs. Mary W. Calkins of the Golden Chain Humane Society visited Clayton Friday to ask the county officials to appoint her society guardian of Ora Cody of 3036 Easton avenue, who recently came to live at Mrs. Calkins' home in Maplewood. Mrs. Calkins received advice as to the necessary legal steps.

Juror Sued for Divorce.—Edward F. Leeson, just as he finished service as a juror in Judge Zachritz's court Friday, was served with notice of his wife's suit for divorce. Mrs. Leeson alleges that she and her husband, though occupying the same house, have been living apart since last October. They were married 24 years ago.

Carriers Must Buy Wagons—Carriers of mail for the rural free delivery routes oppose the recent order from Washington that they must buy mail wagons, at a cost of $50, paying $15 down and the rest to be kept out of their salaries in monthly installments. They get but $50 a month, though they may increase this income if they have wagons by soliciting and delivering orders. One carrier, whose route lies north of St. Louis, has resigned rather than buy a wagon.

"SPECIAL" IS RACING DEATH

H. H. Culver Hastening to Florida to Reach Daughter, Ill With Scarlet Fever.

To reach the bedside of his sick daughter, H. H. Culver of 3501 Morgan street, vice-president of the Wrought Iron Range Co., is being carried to Sea Breeze, Fla., on a special train, which is scheduled to make the fastest time ever recorded on the lines which it will traverse.

With Mr. Culver are Dr. E. W. Saunders, the family physician, and N. W. Taylor, the grandfather of the sick child.

Mr. Culver received at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon a telegram from his wife, informing him that their daughter, Margaret, aged 7, was dangerously ill with scarlet fever. The limited trains to Florida had gone, and Mr. Culver was unwilling to wait for the night trains or for the limited trains of Saturday. In consultation with his father-in-law, Mr. Taylor, who is general freight agent of the Vandalia, the plan of securing a special train was decided on, and at 6:33 o'clock the party left over the Louisville & Nashville.

The cost to Mr. Culver of the special train, which is composed of an engine, coach and sleeper, will be more than $1500. The train is scheduled to make an average speed of 45 miles an hour, and will pass the fast Florida limited train, which had more than three hours' start, at Atlanta, Ga., reaching the destination Saturday evening.

To Fix Illinois Convention Date.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 15.—The Republican state central committee will meet in this city March 27 to fix the time and place for holding the state convention.

IN THE AIR.

The Germs of La Grippe are Conveyed Through the Atmosphere.

No one can escape the La Grippe germ because when an epidemic of the disease is prevailing the air is laden with it.

The reason that everyone does not have the disease at the same time is because the person who are enjoying perfect health are able to successfully resist and throw off the infection, while those who for any reason are not in the best of health, fall ready victims.



The first symptoms are those of acute catarrh resembling a hard cold and if prompt treatment is applied at this time, it can easily be broken up; one of the best remedies at this stage is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, sold by druggists everywhere and if taken freely, say one tablet every hour or two for two or three days, the danger of pneumonia and serious complications will be averted.

The Rev. I. E. Palmer, Baptist clergyman of Ceresco, Mich., makes a statement of interest to all catarrh and grip sufferers. He says: "Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have certainly been a blessing to me. I have used them freely this fall and winter and have found them a safeguard against La Grippe and catarrhal troubles, from which I have suffered for years. I feel that I can freely and conscientiously recommend them."

Persons who suffer from catarrh of the head and throat are very susceptible to La Grippe and such will find a pleasant, convenient and safe remedy in this new catarrh cure.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed entirely of harmless antiseptics and may be used as freely as necessary as they contain no cocaine, opiate or poisonous drug of any kind.

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DEATHS.

BREIDERT—Mrs. Mary Breidert (nee Meisel), entered into rest on Friday, March 14, at 12:05 a. m., beloved wife of Phillip Breidert, and mother of Mamie, Phillip, Albert, Charles and Edward Breidert, and sister of John Meisel and Mrs. Margaret Hilbig (nee Meisel), aged 57 years.

Funeral from residence, 1121 Tyler street, Sunday, March 16, at 1:30 p. m., to Bethania Cemetery.

CAHILL—Saturday, 1:30 a. m., Jane Cahill, aged 97.

Funeral Monday, March 17, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

JOYCE—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 5 o'clock a. m., Mrs. Mary Joyce, at the family residence, 412 East Missouri avenue, East St. Louis, Ill.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 17, at 8 a. m., to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Patrick Joyce, Maurice Joyce, Michael Joyce, John Joyce (deceased), Edward Joyce (deceased), sons. Miss Mamie Joyce, Mrs. Annie Broderick (nee Joyce), Mrs. Margaret Hannon (nee Joyce), daughters. Maurice Hannon, W. P. Broderick (deceased), sons-in-law. Mrs. Mary Joyce (nee O'Brien), Mrs. Annie Joyce (nee Dowling), Mrs. Emily F. Joyce (nee Temm), daughters-in-law.

SCHAEFER—Entered into rest on Thursday, March 13, 1902, at 1:20 p. m., after a lingering illness, Barbara Kribbs Schaefer, beloved mother of Peter, Joseph, John, Henry, Elizabeth, Gussie and Milly Kribbs, aged 59 years.

Funeral will take place Sunday, March 16, at 1 p. m., from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson, 4340 Clarion avenue, to St. Bernard's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Interment private.

WIBBELMANN—On Friday, March 14, 1 p. m., Frieda Wibbelmann, aged 1 year and 11 months, beloved daughter of August and Hedwig Wibbelmann (nee Lorenz).

Funeral Sunday, March 16, at 2 p. m., from residence, [illegible]

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Professor Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL.D., according to the ethics of honest and reputable physicians, gave to the leading medical men of the world his wonderful prescription Paine's Celery Compound as soon as it was perfected. For this reason Paine's Celery Compound has never been included among patent medicines. Coming from so high a source, and being so thoroughly tested and so strongly recommended, physicians prescribe it with confidence.

Paine's Celery Compound rapidly gains in fame as a disease banisher; all who have tried it gratefully acknowledge its curing and life giving power. It drives the poison germs of deep seated disease from the blood; it brings buoyancy of spirit in place of lassitude and despondency; it enables the overtaxed and broken down system to start fairly on the road to health; it gives the sweet sleep so necessary to brain and nerves. It strengthens, invigorates, and gives tone to the system, makes pure blood, is food and nourishment for nerves and tissue. It makes sick people well.

Mr. John B. Dryden, editor of the "Frankfort Call," Frankfort, Ky., writes as follows:

"It gives me great pleasure to state to you, and to any suffering human being, that in my judgment there are thousands upon thousands in this broad land of ours who are today suffering, who might enjoy all the blessings of health if they would but use your great medicine, Paine's Celery Compound.

"For the cure of dyspepsia it has no superior, and that dread disease, insomnia, will soon be a thing of the past if people who are thus afflicted will use this medicine.

"I have used the Compound in my family and always with beneficial results. As a family medicine I do not think it possible to find its superior. To those who are worn out in body, it will speedily bring them back to health and make them feel that life is worth living again. To all poor, suffering, human creatures, we say 'use Paine's Celery Compound if you want to be made well.'"

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Two Hills Will Be Moved.

Contracts are to be let for the leveling of two hills on the World's Fair site. The hills are 40 and 80 feet high, and the earth will be used to fill up a depression in the grounds near the junction with the Washington University tract.

That they are not rock-ribbed hills has been proved by boring, and this discovery will influence bidders in making their estimates. The work will cost about $45,000, there being 250,000 cubic yards of earth to remove.



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MUSIC HALL TO BE KEPT FOR THE FAIR

PROVISIONS IN LIBRARY BILL THAT PASSED THE COUNCIL.

CARNEGIE TO PASS ON SITE

Measure Authorizes Public Library Board to Buy Exposition Property.

The preservation of Exposition Music Hall until after the close of the World's Fair is required by the bill making Missouri Park the site of the central Carnegie library, which passed the City Council Friday afternoon.

Another clause of the bill provides that the selection of the site shall not be binding until it is approved by Andrew Carnegie or some person authorized to represent him.

Both these requirements were added to the original bill as amendments, offered by Councilman Gibson, who voted against the bill after they had been added to it.

Subject to the limitations imposed by these two amendments, the board of directors of the Public Library are authorized by the bill to purchase the rights, property and franchises of the St. Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association.

The bill must pass the Houses of Delegates and receive the mayor's approval before becoming a law.

BILLS FOR BETTER STREETS

Twelve Reconstruction Measures Pass the House of Delegates and Four the Council.

Twelve ordinances for the reconstruction of streets were passed Friday evening by the House of Delegates. Four similar bills were passed by the Council.

The reconstructions which the House passed on are as follows:

King's highway boulevard, from Lindell boulevard to Easton avenue, asphalt; Westminster place, from Spring avenue to Vandeventer avenue, from Vandeventer avenue to Sarah street, and from Sarah street to Walton avenue, creosoted southern yellow pine blocks.

The House passed on providing for brick paving on Spring avenue from Laclede avenue to Olive street and from Olive street to Morgan street; Whittier street from Olive street to Morgan street; Taylor avenue from Forest Park boulevard to Lindell boulevard; Boyle avenue from Laclede avenue to Olive street; Walnut street from Tenth street to Twelfth street; Fourteenth street from Wash street to Biddle street, from Biddle street to St. Louis avenue, and from Hebert street to Bremen avenue; Compton avenue from Morgan street to Easton avenue; Lawton avenue from Jefferson avenue to Grand avenue, and Morgan street from Jefferson avenue to Compton avenue.

CASH AND CORN BADLY NEEDED

Fund for Drouth Sufferers, to Relieve Situation, Should Be Not Less Than $25,000.

While the fund for the drouth sufferers of Southwest Missouri is growing, having reached $1320.75 Friday night, the Merchants' Exchange realizes that it will be unable to raise an amount sufficient to give proper relief for the dozen counties which have appealed for aid.

It is estimated that $25,000 is imperatively needed, and there is a probability that the mayor and governor may be asked to issue proclamations calling for contributions of cash and supplies.

The farmers are badly in need of seed corn and potatoes. Their horses are so lean, from lack of feed, that in many cases they are unable to haul railroad ties to market.

Letters from Wright, Texas, Taney and other stricken counties say that actual starvation will result in some districts unless aid is forthcoming.

ALTGELD'S REMAINS IN STATE

Thousands Viewed the Body at Public Library, Where It Will Lie Until Tonight.

CHICAGO, March 15.—The body of the late John P. Altgeld lay in state in the public library today and was viewed by thousands of people.

A large crowd was waiting when the casket was brought in at 10 a. m. At 10 o'clock tonight the coffin will be closed and tomorrow it will be taken to Graceland Cemetery.

In the procession to the cemetery will be Gov. Yates and staff, state, county and municipal legislators and officials, judges, the United Turner societies, Democratic political organizations, labor unions, civic and fraternal societies, Boer sympathizers, the Altgeld Legion and citizens generally.

The Boer envoys, who are now in Chicago, attended the funeral service yesterday afternoon.

No torture compares to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 2351 by Elmer & Amend quickest relief of all.

TREATING RHODES BY CABLE

London Heart Specialist Thus Diagnoses and Prescribes, but Patient's Condition Continues Critical.

CAPETOWN, March 15.—Cecil Rhodes, at noon today, is in a very critical condition.

Mr. Rhodes passed a very bad night. The physicians had frequent recourse to oxygen. The patient's continued loss of strength causes great anxiety. The physicians are in constant cable communication with the London heart specialist who attended Mr. Rhodes last year.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething relieves the child from pain. 25c.

CAPT. ROBERTSON'S FUNERAL.

Body of Veteran Steamboatman Was Buried in Bellefontaine Saturday.

The burial of Capt. Charles D. Robertson, the veteran steamboatman, of 1416 St. Louis avenue, took place in Bellefontaine Cemetery Saturday morning. Services were held at his home, conducted by Rev. Dr. G. T. Ingraham, rector of Grace Episcopal Church.

Capt. Robertson died Thursday, at the age of 88. He was born in Richmond, Va., and started in the steamboat business at the age of 19.

During the civil war he served under Gen. Sterling Price.

During his long career on the Mississippi river he was interested in the following steamboats: The Harkaway, Monarch, Daniel O'Connell, Red Rover, Bride, Swallow and Mattie Wayne. The Harkaway was his favorite boat.

On May 29, 1851, Capt. Robertson married Miss Louise M. Sloan of Baton Rouge, La., who, with four children, survives him. The children are: Charles D., Jr., George A. S. and Alberta Robertson.

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Operations Avoided.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with ovarian or womb trouble that an operation is necessary, it of course frightens her.

The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart.

And our hospitals are full of women who are there for ovarian and womb operations!

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Mrs. Pinkham's medicine after the doctors had said the operation must be performed.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been very successful in curing ovarian troubles. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure instant relief, this medicine is certain to help.

Ovarian troubles are easily developed from womb troubles, and womb troubles are so very common that ovaritis is steadily on the increase among women. It is, nevertheless, a most serious trouble, and to recommend wrong treatment for it is a crime for which there cannot be too deep a penalty.

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The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who have escaped the operating table by the use of this medicine. Let any woman suffering from these troubles, or anything which may develop into them, write and get Mrs. Pinkham's advice. If you are beyond the reach of the medicine, you will be frankly told so, but, if not, you will be fully and carefully and kindly advised.

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ANOTHER OPERATION AVOIDED.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel very grateful to you for the benefit I derived from your kind advice and remedies. I was troubled with a complication of female troubles, had ovaritis, painful and irregular menstruation, leucorrhœa, nervousness, and weakness. I had no appetite and could not sleep nights. The least exertion would cause shortness of breath and dull pains in my hips and side. The doctors all advised me to have an operation and have one of my ovaries removed, but this I could not bear to think of. I was induced to try **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and after taking the first bottle I was much improved. It renewed my appetite, health, and strength. I continued taking it, also your Blood Purifier and Sanative Wash, until entirely cured of all my troubles. The pains have never returned, and my health is splendid.

"Your remedies have been a boon to me, and I am sure many a woman owes her life to them."—MARIE WEBB, 356 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to publish the wonderful help **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** has been to me. I was like a crazy person—could not eat or sleep; there was no rest for me day or night. Physicians examined me and said an operation was necessary. Before undergoing it, however, I determined to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound. I am so glad I did, for it cured me. I am a well woman now and can do any kind of work. I want this published throughout the land, so that all my suffering sisters may read, and if in any way afflicted with female troubles, they may be induced by my sincere statement to try this wonderful Vegetable Compound and be cured."—MRS. MARGARET BAMFORD, Centennial Ave., Crescent Beach, Revere, Mass.



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to send you my testimonial stating the grand effect **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** has had on my health. I was suffering to such an extent from ovarian trouble that my physician thought an operation would be necessary. Your medicine having been recommended to me, I decided to try it. After using several bottles I found that I was cured. My system was toned up and I suffered no more with my ovaries. Your medicine is the greatest boon on earth to suffering women."—MRS. ANNIE ASTON, Box 187, Troy, Mo.

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St. Louis, Mo., March 10, 1902.

The assessment books for the taxes of the year 1902 are now complete and open for inspection.

Taxpayers are requested to call at this office and examine their assessments. The Board of Equalization will meet in this office on Monday, the 17th day of March, 1902, and will remain in session for (4) weeks if the business before it requires it, and no longer. All appeals against assessments must be made in writing and sworn to.

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JOHN J. O'BRIEN,
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Col. Ed Butler boasts that he delivers the goods; so does the grandjury.

A state might as well be out of the world as out of the World's Fair.

Between its blockhouse system and its blockhead system, Britain is not getting on in South Africa.

With some shame the Boers have to confess that Kruger, Botha, Delarey and De Wet are not gentlemen according to Mrs. Astor's definition.

The Chicago woman who proposes to elevate the dignity of housework should get some points from the women who have proposed to elevate the stage. The elevator business as a rule does not pay dividends.

THE JUDGES ON THE FRANCHISE CASE

The Post-Dispatch's interviews with the judges of the state supreme court on the decision in the franchise mandamus case make interesting reading because it brings out the attitude of the supreme court towards a question of great importance to the people of the state.

None of the judges, except Judge Robinson, would discuss anything except the question of the propriety of talking about the decision. None would discuss the merits of the question. It was to be expected that none would exceed the record in the matter of opinion.

But Judge Robinson frankly stated that he had given the matter little consideration and in view of the public expressions on the subject he regretted that he had not given it more. He indicated that if certain facts about the assessment of franchises had been presented, the result might have been different.

All of this emphasizes the regret that the court did not consider the petition upon its merits after a hearing. Of course the decision must be accepted as the judgment of the court as to the propriety of granting the writ, but a decision after a full hearing would have been more satisfactory from every standpoint.

If it is possible, as Judge Robinson suggested might be done, to reopen the case in another way, that way should be found.

It would be worth while to discover whether a clear inequity in the assessment of taxes can be rectified through legal procedure.

Who is the profound statesman of New York who proposed that New York should be represented by only $50,000 in the World's Fair? He should be made our first ambassador to the pigmies of Africa.

CONSEQUENCES OF A MISUNDERSTANDING.

A remarkable condition is disclosed in Minnesota.

A gentleman named Jim Younger wants to marry, but can't because he doesn't know whether he is alive or dead.

Jim had a misunderstanding with the prosecuting attorney several years ago and the result was he became the guest of the state. The length of his entertainment was fixed at that of his natural life.

Now, according to the law, a man who becomes a guest of the state after a misunderstanding with the prosecuting attorney, is, by operation of law, dead. And where law and fact do not agree, so much the worse for the fact.

Now Jim is out on parole and loves a lady whom he wants to make his wife. But preachers and justices can find no authority in law to join a dead man in holy matrimony to a living woman.

An act of the legislature may become necessary.

The moral of the fable is: Keep on good terms with the prosecuting attorney.

Secretary Shaw doubts the wisdom of buying United States bonds at a high premium, as his predecessor did so often. It will be a great help to the Shaw boom that he has put an end to that ridiculous business.

TREAT THE BOERS FAIRLY.

The recent successes of the Boers should commend them to the administration at Washington as worthy objects of favorable attention.

It may be admitted that President Roosevelt cannot intervene, since intervention is always supported by a show of force. Nor can he offer mediation, because that has already been anticipated by the British government and notice given to the world that such a proposal would not be considered.

But the President can at least grant the Boers the same footing that the English possess with reference to this country. He can interpret the neutrality laws with the most rigorous strictness and apply them to the English as well as to the Boers.

It is claimed that the English are not only buying munitions of war in this country (which they may do without violating international usage or our own neutrality laws), but have established an outfitting station, a base of supplies, at New Orleans. This is forbidden, and if the charge is true, the station should be broken up.

The Boers are entitled to the consideration of all the governments of the civilized world as a matter of law. And if that is not sufficient then their manliness, courage and humanity should ensure them fair treatment.

Mr. Rockefeller offers $25,000 to William Jewell college on condition that $75,000 more be raised this year. The oil king would do well to consider Missouri institutions more in his benevolent moods.

ABOUT STRENUOUS PERSONS.

The London Spectator in the course of a review of some of Mr. Roosevelt's books, touches on the man's personal characteristics.

The Spectator finds him, from "his opinions as here set out to be a loud and angry rather than deep and patient thinker about the problems of life."

He inculcates honesty and courage, but is "the strenuous eulogist of war against the Filipinos striving for the same right to independence on which American greatness is founded."

This is extraordinarily keen sighted for an English writer.

The concluding paragraph is especially noteworthy: "He is in himself a good man and his courage is proved, but he has never grasped the essential fact that he who can dare to be in the right with two or three is a braver man than he who wins the applause of the multitude and has his manliness certified by the votes of a majority."

The Spectator indicates a common fault of strenuous men of the Roosevelt type. They are seldom brave enough to be brave in a hopeless cause.

The man who adheres to his convictions against the world, who goes his way quietly and unostentatiously, doing what seems to him right and sacrificing place and honor rather than give up his principles—isn't he a strenuous man greater than the physical force man? Which was the greater hero—Lovejoy, dying a lonely death at the hands of a mob and condemned by nine-tenths of the American people at that time, or Hobson bravely going into Santiago harbor with the cheers of 70,000,000 fellow countrymen to inspire him?

The strenuous life is sometimes most worthily lived in the inner world of thought and emotion. The moral hero who effaces himself is greater than he who flourishes his valor before the world.

The indictment of Edward Butler was inevitable after his defiant boast in the Post-Dispatch that he was the only successful boodle agent in St. Louis and after the publication in the Post-Dispatch of the statements of Drs. Murrell and Chapman and Capt. Hodges concerning his alleged attempts to bribe members of the board of health to approve the garbage contract. The failure to indict him would have left the confessed leader of corrupt practices in this city free of prosecution.

With the Butler indictment the boodle issue is fairly complete. Indictments have been found against bribers, official boodlers and boodle agents. Representatives of each of these classes of corruptionists must answer in court to charges of crime. If there is sufficient evidence against any others they should be indicted.

All that the Post-Dispatch demands for the St. Louis people is a fair, vigorous, thorough prosecution which will result in the conviction of the guilty. We ask nothing but this. The enforcement of the law against every lawbreaker of every degree. Not persecution, but honest and effective prosecution is the proper rule. Stripes for the guilty and vindication for the innocent.

ELECT SENATORS BY THE PEOPLE.

Senator Berry of Arkansas grossly offended the dignity of the Senate the other day by asking that the Senate committee on privileges and elections be instructed to stop smothering bills authorizing the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for the election of senators by the people.

The House has passed several bills of this kind. They go to the Senate, where they are gravely referred to the committee in question and that's the last of them.

The reason is that the election of senators by the people is not favored by the majority of the Senate.

That the majority of the Senate does not agree with the majority of the people is evident from the fact that 30 state legislatures have declared for popular elections.

The people want to elect senators themselves. The politicians who buy togas and the predatory corporations prefer the present method.

Theoretically election by the legislature is not without much to commend it. And some very good men, Senator Hoar among them, cling to it tenaciously. But practically it results in corruption and lowers the tone of the Senate through the election of men of shady character, who represent all but the public interest.

The chairman of the committee promises to report the bill. If he doesn't, Senator Berry will probably make some more pointed remarks.

Uncle Mark Hanna must have felt like a British general in the Transvaal when Senator Morgan calmly voted the four proxies that made the quorum for the Nicaragua canal last Thursday.

OF THE MAKING OF BOOKS.

"Never read a book until it is a year old," said Ralph Waldo Emerson. "A book that has not lived three years has no place on a library shelf," says Andrew Carnegie.

Such statements as these are alarming. The American craving for books amounts to a mania. The printing presses have made us dizzy with their mad whirling. To deprive us of a new novel every morning, piping hot from the presses, would be like robbing the toper of his morning drink. New books we must have. Their leaves are the lotus the ancients craved. How can we be happy without "Mrs. Biggs and Her Garden Sass," "The House With Pink Transom," "Richard Carwheel," "Alice of Old West End," "To Get and to Freeze Onto," the poems of E. Percival Caff-Branes and other uplifting and edifying tomes?

Emerson was a transcendentalist; Carnegie is a money-grubber. What do they know about books? Give the writers more room!

As Florida has never been properly represented at a great exposition, her commercial bodies have resolved that she shall make an adequate exhibit at the World's Fair in St. Louis. With her history of nearly 400 years, and her development since the 60s, Florida is one of the most interesting of our states. She is the Fountain of Youth to many old people who drift there in the winter.

Col. R. C. Clowry, president of the Western Union, says, "The wealth of the country has increased faster than the right kind of young men have developed." Can Col. Clowry tell why young men are not developing?

Instead of torturing or killing him, the Boers have set Gen. Lord Methuen free. The Dutchmen are teaching Britannia civilized warfare, if such a word can be applied to any kind of warring.

The Youngers, being legally dead until they are pardoned, cannot marry, and they don't have to pay any debts. It looks as if legally dead men have more protection than they are entitled to.

Prof. James Westfall Thompson's indignation is misplaced. The fooleries of the season should excite gaiety, not anger.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Col. Ed Butler's aversion to Coffey is not based on any dietetic principles.

Devout parishioners like Col. Ed Butler must necessarily be greatly missed.

With our insane asylums all allopathic, where are homeopathic patients to go?

Bill Phelps sitting as a special judge will perhaps not have any railroad passes in his pocket.

George Washington often went out before breakfast to shoot ducks, but he was no such a hunter as T. R.

Goy. Yates and E. Mont Reilly are two of the few Roosevelt men who were Roosevelters before the Buffalo tragedy.

A lawn party in free Cuba is, after all, just as well for the daughter of an American President as would be a coronation celebration in an old monarchy.

A Macon, Mo., inventor has been granted a patent on a dentist's turning lathe which is said to surpass anything now on the dental supply list in the gain of speed and the saving of labor. There ought to be a showing of all Missouri inventions in the World's Fair.

The large German population of Louisville is naturally excited over the determination of the health officer of that city to prosecute all persons making or selling limburger cheese. The health official declares that limburger swarms with microbes and that it is unwholesome. The consumers of limburger don't believe any such thing, and the Louisville health officer will certainly find himself in bad odor with a large part of the largest Kentucky community.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

209.—Yes, the Missouri river frequently changes its bed, cutting through land and ruining farms.

TRUTH.—You know just as much about it as the Post-Dispatch does, which is just nothing at all.

F. M.—No. The silver in circulation is not protected dollar for dollar by gold in the treasury.

ALBERT WINKLER.—Write to Maj. Godwin, commandant Jefferson Guard, World's Fair office.

OLD COINS.—A 25-cent piece of 1853, without arrows, is worth $2. No premium on a quarter of 1854.

MRS. MARY E. CONESTOCK.—Write to H. Clay Evans, commissioner of pensions, Washington, D. C.

J. M. CARTER.—Better write state superintendent of public schools, Springfield, Ill., and Jefferson City, Mo.

P.-D. READER.—Ask a lawyer about minors and shares of corporations. We do not answer legal questions.

INQUIRER.—A mayor's permit must be obtained before you can parade. That granted, you can carry any flag you like.

J. H. C.—"What are the weather predictions for May 22, 1902?" It is too early. The meteorologists do not look so far ahead.

D. GREEN.—The Post-Dispatch can express no opinion as to your ability to get financial backing for your flying machine. See the World's Fair people about the competition.

Just A Minute

WITH THE POST-DISPATCH POET AND PHILOSOPHER.

Advice From Omar.

How was it, Omar, friend of mine,
You drank a jug of Persian wine—
A jug filled from a goatskin bag—
Yet from that jug acquired no jag?

"'Twas thus, O friend," a voice replied,
From out the centuries past. "Beside
The jug which held the vintage red,
I always kept a loaf of bread.

"And every time that to my lip
I held that jug up for a sip,
I took a bite, the wine to down,
Of that same loaf, so dry and brown.

"'A Jug of Wine, a Loaf of Bread
And thou'—don't you recall I said?
You modern bards the jug retain
But leave the loaf out, that is plain.

"If you would copy after me,
And have the mildest kind of spree,
The jug without the jag, why then,
Take to the loaf of bread agen."

Poet McGaffey.

Poet Ernest McGaffey of Chicago was turned down by his party when he sought the aldermanic nomination in his ward. Serves him right. Poets should stick to Parnassus and leave politics to the hoi polloi. A politician may become a poet, but vice versa—never.

Mr. McGaffey's own experience is a case in point. As a ward grabber he is a failure; as a poet he has been highly indorsed by the Ladies' Own Journal and other eminently chaste and respectable publications. On the other hand is "Bathhouse John" Coughlin, always a politician, who, after achieving an almost international reputation as a municipal statesman, leaped into poetical fame at a single bound by his exquisite flower-and-moonlight song, which is just as fine a piece of work as any one could expect from—well, "Bathhouse John." Mr. Coughlin was born a politician. He became a poet in spite of himself. It simply broke out and he could find no specific.

However, politicians never pause to consider the ethical or sentimental side of a candidate's nature, else the leaders in Poet McGaffey's ward might have acted differently. But he can be revenged, should that please him, by turning loose his spring poems a month earlier than usual and increasing the number. No poet, however docile, can afford to become a rejected manuscript.

Happy Menelik.

King Menelik rejoices on
His Abyssinian throne
That, though a hundred wives he has—
Enough to make him groan!—
He does not have to furnish up
A hundred different flats,
And does not have to buy for them
A hundred Easter hats.

Forty-one street cars burned. Look out for more straps.

Will Elsie Fay prove to be Sir Thomas Lipton's good fairy?

Jim Younger is legally dead in Minnesota, but even at that he is not as dead as his numerous victims.

Why can we not have an anthropological exhibit at the World's Fair? Frederick R. Sulzbach, Sr., of Philadelphia has a family of 29 children.

Louisville's health officer has declared war an limburger cheese. As Herr Wilhelm Shakspeare, the great German poet, said: "This offense is rank—it smells to heaven."

ABOUT KISSES.

In a description of a wedding in the olden time in the district of Voer in Denmark appears the following: "When they had eaten, the parish clerk got up first, put his arms around the parson's neck and kissed him on the mouth, saying: 'Thanks for your hospitality, sir priest.' Then the parson planted himself against a chest of drawers and all the women, old and young, went up to him one after the other and kissed him on the mouth. Some of them could not quite reach him, for the priest was a big, tall man, and they had actually to climb on to his boots, though he stooped down to them slightly."

There is a French anecdote about a student who took the liberty of kissing a young girl. She got very angry, however, and called him an insolent puppy, whereupon he retorted: "For goodness' sake, don't be cross, young lady. If that kiss annoys you give it back to me." It seems to have had a more amicable settlement in the case of a Danish couple who had resolved to break off their engagement: "It is best, I suppose, that we return each other's letters?" said he. "I think so, too," replied she, "but shall we not at the same time give each other all our kisses back?" They did so and thus agreed to renew their engagement.

In Germany there is said to be nothing in a kiss without a beard: "Ein kuss ohne bart ist eine vesper ohne magnificat" (a kiss without a beard is like vespers without the magnificat); or, still more strongly: "Ein kuss ohne bart ist ein er ohne salz" (a kiss without a beard is like an egg without salt). The young girls in Holland also incline to this point of view: "Ein kussje zonder bard, een eitje zonder zout" (an egg without salt), and they have in the Frisian island some who share their taste: "An kleef canner blard as en bred sanner salt" (porridge without salt). Lastly, the Jutland lassies also take the same view of the matter—in fact, they are even more refined in their requirements; a kiss is not only sound, but it must have some flavor about it—lit ought to be strong and luscious: "At kysse en karl den skra og skaeg er some at kysse en ildret vaeg" (kissing a fellow without a quid of tobacco and a beard is like kissing a mud wall).

THE EARNINGS OF LABOR.

Prof. Robert E. Ely, the secretary of the League for Political Education, has been making some scientific examinations into the earnings of less fortunate workers than Mr. Whitney and presents some conclusions which are quoted in the March Pilgrim, necessarily much condensed. It is proper to note that Mr. Ely's figures are drawn from the federal census:

The wage earners of the United States number some 15,000,000 men, women, boys and girls of ten years of age or over. Their average individual earnings are $400 a year. But on an average two persons are dependent upon each wage earner for support, which means that three people must live on that average monthly wage of about $33.33. Investigation has shown that about a quarter of a workingman's wage goes to rent, and about half to food and fuel. Thus this average workingman, with his family of two, will have left each month after paying for the roof over his head, and the food needful to sustain life about $8.30 a month for clothing, medicine, recreation, and a bank account against a rainy day—or the time when he shall become superannuated. Prof. Ely very naturally says in the face of these figures that "the terms of our economic problem cannot be solved by thrift alone." And indeed the poorest encouragement to thrift is the knowledge that with the utmost pinching economy for years the savings of a family will be inadequate to meet the needs of six months of illeness or two months of costly sickness.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

FAIR WARNING.



Dakota Sheriff (to minister): It won't go, Dominie. If you keep on preaching against divorce I'll have to lock you up. We can't have any man advertising lawlessness in this community.

THOROUGHLY APPRECIATED.

Minister: Well, my boy, I hope you enjoyed the services this morning?

Boy: Yes, sir. Pop fell asleep six times, and ma had to stick a pin into him each time to make him wake up.—Judge.

IN NEW YORK SOCIETY.

"Were you and your husband engaged very long?"

"O, no. He had good luck and got his divorce right off. I had already secured mine when we first met."—Chicago Record-Herald.

TWO WORLDS.

A world of ceaseless toil and strife,
With vast extremes of death and life—
Passions that throb with love or hate,
And dark complexities of Fate—This is the world of Men.

A mighty world where Thought is king,
With words forever blossoming—
A realm no discord ever seeks,
Peopled with silence that yet speaks—
This is the world of Books.
—William H. Hayne in the Critic.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

All crimes of the man begin in the vagabondage of the child.
VICTOR HUGO.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Generally the new woman is old.

It is the things a man doesn't say that women construe into declarations of love.

No woman feels that she is in society unless she has a monthly account at the jeweler's.

Fluffy frills and things have held more men to their allegiance to a woman than all the sermons that ever were preached.

When a woman's mother is coming to visit her the first thing she does is to put the family Bible on the sitting room table and invite the minister to dinner to show what a good man she has made of her husband.—New York Press.

CITATION.

"Success is achieved by close application," remarked the moralizer.

"You have said it," rejoined the demoralizer. "Take the porous plaster, for example."—Chicago News.

PROOF OF SOBRIETY.

In England an officer is court-martialed for being drunk, and everybody will recollect the story of the young officer who was accused of this "crime" and was very nearly got off by his servant. The servant, who was an Irishman, was asked by the court whether his master was sober on the night when he was stated to have been drunk.

"Yes, sir," the servant replied, "he was quite sober."

"How do you know he was sober?"

"Because he asked me to call him early."

This was a convincing answer. But one of the officers of the court-martial, remembering that there was no early parade on the following morning, asked the servant what reason his mas er gave for wishing to be called early. Without a moment's hesitation the servant replied:

"He said that he was the Queen of May, sir."

That, of course, concluded the case.—Candid Friend.

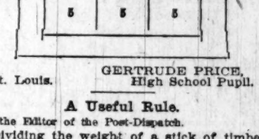
PUZZLES AND THEIR SOLUTION

Hogs and Pens.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Kindly publish the following in answer to G. E. Dolton's puzzle of March 6, 1902, namely, how to put 15 hogs in four pens so as to have an odd number in each pen:

PEN 4.



GERTRUDE PRICE,
St. Louis. High School Pupil.

A Useful Rule.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Dividing the weight of a stick of timber between three men so that each shall bear an equal weight or burden:

Rule—Divide the length of the stick by 4 and the quotient is the answer. Example: There is a stick of timber 20 feet long to be carried by three men; one carries at the end, the other two by a lever, bar or hook; how far must the lever or bar be placed from the other end that each may carry equally?

Answer—Seven and one-half feet from the end. AN AMERICAN MECHANIC.
St. Louis.

Working of Saloon Problem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please publish the following solution of saloon problem.

12 equals three-halves, then ½ equals 1-3 of 12 equals 4; 4 times 2 equal 8—what he had when he entered the last saloon. 8 times 2½ equal 20; equal three-halves, ½ equals 1-8 of 20 equals 6 2-3, 6 2-3 times 2 equal 13 1-3—what he had when he entered the second saloon. 13 1-3 times 12 equal 2-3 equal three-halves, ½ equals 1-3 of 25 1-3 equals 4-9 times 2 equals 16 8-9 cents—what he had when he entered first saloon.

Also please publish the following:

When first the marriage knot was tied between my wife and me, my age was to that of my bride as three times three to three. But now since 10 and half 10 years, the man and wife have been, my age to hers exactly bears as 8 to 16. Now, pray tell me by what I've said, what were our ages when we wed. MORE A. CUMMIN.
Marissa, Ill.

Earl Curtis, 12 years old, of Carbondale, Ill., also sent in an ingenious and correct working of the saloon problem, which was too long to publish. Several others sent in correct answers without working out.

How Many Sheep?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please insert the following problem in your valuable paper: A farmer was going to market with some sheep. He came to a toll-gate. The keeper asked him how many sheep he had to pay toll on. He said: "If I had as many again, half as many again, quarter as many again, and one, I would have 100 sheep." How many did he have to pay toll on?
St. Louis. W. J. BRENNAN.

Mark Twain and the Glacier.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I would call Mr. Doescher's attention to chap. 39 of Mark Twain's "Tramp Abroad."

Mark Twain having read that glaciers move, camps on the Gorner Glacier, intending to ride from the Riffelberg Hotel to Zermatt, a distance of 3 1-18 miles. Upon further investigation, however, he discovers that the speed of the glacier is about 1 inch per day, so he refuses to patronize it, and walks. Now suppose he had walked to Zermatt on the glacier, as he suppose it took him one day to make the trip. Then would Mr. Doescher say that he had walked 3 1-18 miles minus one inch, and ridden all the way—3 1-18 miles? Hardly, I hope. Mark Twain would have ridden one inch and walked 3 1-18 miles minus one inch. Yet, he was riding the whole time—it took him all day to ride one inch.

To revert to the train problem—Mr. Doescher askes which mile was walked. If we suppose both motions to have been uniform, he walked 1-6 of each mile and rode 5-6. He walked 1-6 of each inch and rode 4-5.

Fired from the front of the train, the cannon ball would have a velocity of 100,100 feet per minute. From the rear of the train its velocity would be 99,900 feet per minute. "DRAUGHTSMAN."
St. Louis.

WHAT MAKES A GENTLEMAN?

A Post-Dispatch Reader Says the Facts of Life Disprove Mrs. Astor's Definition.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

So Mrs. Astor says that only college-bred men can be gentlemen? Who "ast-er" opinion, anyway? But I won't quarrel with the lady, I esteem her friendship too highly, besides if I were to express my opinion of the plu-headedness of a lady so blind to the real essentials of a gentleman's character, I would prove myself anything but one, even though I hold a diploma inscribed in the language of Cicero, which, by the way, I can no longer read. Between ourselves, I never could make heads or tails of the heathenish jargon without the kindly aid of a "phony."

But to get personal, I have always laid the flattering unction to my soul that I am a gentleman ever since a certain memorable occasion, when I escaped a thrashing by the interposition of my sainted mother, who asserted that "Harold is too much of a gentleman to be whipped; his dignity shall not be insulted so;" but I don't know that my hazy knowledge of Greek roots, Latin infinitives and Pons Asinorums has improved my manners or morals any. Far be it from me to undervalue the cultural power of a sojourn in the academic shades of university life—it is worth all it may cost; but our ideals are the lodestars of our lives, and for myself every lofty ideal that I cherished in my boyhood, every ideal that haunted my youthful visions and kept me unspotted where others were soiled, I dug out of my father's library, the sanctum sanctorum where my mother's fiat went forth which served my sacred person on many a subsequent occasion. The knightly courtesy, the chivalrous devotion to honor, the tender regard for the fair sex which animated the cavaliers of old I first became acquainted with in the person of Thackeray's knight-hearted Col. Newcome, whom I met in a corner of the library. I hugged the dear old colonel to my youthful heart, and I will say that whatever lurking lofty instincts may survive in my nature, next to my own mother, they were inspired in me by this fine old character. Once when I was a dreaming boy I hoped to be a gentleman, now I am satisfied to try to be one.

But, as I was going to remark, it is the ideals that haunt the boy's mind that shape the character of the man. Make your boys acquainted with that fine old knight, Col. Newcome, bring home to their minds the strain of lofty idealism that flows like an undercurrent under the humor of Cervantes' Quixote, bring before their young imaginations the fine figure of a Sidney or a Bayard parched with thirst upon the battlefield, yet giving the casque of precious water to a dying soldier even though he too was in the throes of death; and if their boyish hearts do not glow and palpitate, and if they do not catch the spirit of courtliness and chivalry from these, they are hopeless cases. They may go to Congress, or become society leaders, or editors, but they never will be gentlemen.

Why, I remember the night when I first made the acquaintance of Col. Newcombe as vividly as I recall that other memorable occasion when the maternal fiat went forth that my dignity was never more to be insulted by a castigation. I pushed Clive aside and sat on the old colonel's knee and admired his fine military mustache, his white duck trousers and bamboo cane while he recounted stories of battlefields in India. How I admired the chivalrous old boy! It would be impossible to say. I loved him with all the passionate, romantic fondness of an imaginative boy for his hero. He stood to me as a type of all that was good, noble, brave and chivalrous, and I found in him the realization of the vague love for better things in character that I felt as a child. The night marked an epoch in my career. Like the famous painter who exclaimed: "I, too, am a painter," I said unto myself, "I shall be a gentleman." I have often since then thanked Thackeray for this type of a soldier and a gentleman, the highest modern fiction has conceived.

The effect of this character upon me was instantaneous, even our dusky laundress noticed a change in me the morning. Instead of greeting her with the usual sobriquet of "Sloppy Sal," I ventured to remark on meeting her coming on duty in the morning as I was leaving for school, that it was "a very fine morning, Mrs. Washington," accompanying said remark with as courtly a bow as I could conceive. "Laud, massa," exclaimed the Nubian Amazon, much taken back by this unusual greeting, "what's gitten into the chile, he sho must be aguine to die, dat ain't a bit like his nat'ri self—no 'Hello, Sloppy Sal!' this mo'ning, but 'fine morning, Mrs. Washington and with a mos' mighty fine bow, too," and she ambled off, talking to herself, marveling at the change. I grieve not make this as an unguided statement, but physical facts will to any competent oil expert sustain my judgment. I was with the Western Union Oil Co. the day the drill started and there by the day it ceased operations, and since then I have used my utmost endeavors to resume work. I have tried to sell no stock, to organize no company, nor do I intend to, but on the contrary, I am seeking to obtain the highest possible price for some property I own self are the first essentials that go to make that flower of humanity, a true gentleman. These qualities may shine forth in the character of the man in the street as brilliantly as in the character of the curled darling of society, the haunter of balls and tea parties, whose little soul is often more concerned about the latest cut in "swallows" than with the broad humanity, the knightly courtesy, the chivalrous tenderness, that go to make the character of a Sidney, a Bayard or a Col. Newcome.

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St. Louis.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

Republics Cannot Be Crushed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Apropos of the decline of British consols I would like to add a few words on the subject most interesting to the taxpayers of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Why should they continue to bleed and be bled in a vain endeavor to crush the Boer republic? Republics cannot nowadays be crushed any more easily than in our revered Lincoln's day, when the author of the Emancipation Proclamation said of a secEding state: "If there are nine Unions men in Louisiana, she is still in the Union."

Time was when the native Missourian expected to be greeted with laughter when he acknowledged his native commonwealth. Since reading the pro-Boer appeal of Chas. Fremont Cochran, whose burning words were a message of joy to the world, I am more than ever proud of my Missouri, which he so ably represents in Congress—Benton, Bates, West, Cochran, the world moves! HUGH A. WETMORE.
St. Louis.

Sidewalks Needed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The only place on Miami street where there are no sidewalks is around Gravois Park. The children who have to go to the Froebel school sink in the mud four inches. With a few loads of cinders the park commissioners could make a nice walk. Last summer the weeds around the park were three to five feet high and were never removed. For what is the city ordinance if the authorities do not fulfill them? I hope they will soon do something. The teacher always says we should come with shoes clean. How can we do it?
A BOY FROM FROEBEL SCHOOL.
St. Louis.

Be Kind to the Afflicted.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

They talk so much about stray dogs and dumb animals. Now I have a deaf and dumb boy and the torture I have suffered already is heart-rending and God knows how much more I must suffer yet to see my child abused by bad boys. I have moved from place to place, and it was the same all over. I know that deaf and dumb children suffer more than dumb animals. I do not dislike dogs. I have two myself. Let me hear of some mother that has a child like mine if she, too, has not suffered like I have. I have seen parents see their boys abuse mine and not say a word to them. My poor child cannot go on the street without coming in crying from having been abused and made fun of. They take his things away and stone him. Is that humane? My heart bleeds for deaf and dumb children. If I tell the boys to please let my little boy alone they make fun of me.
St. Louis. A MOTHER.

Cruelty Should Be Stopped.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I want to say let us by all means have some provision made for those poor dumb animals that God has given for man's use and not for man to abuse. I say, let the Humane Society have charge of them and oversee that catching of the dogs. Let it be done in a humane way. The cruelty that is practiced in St. Louis every day is a disgrace to civilization and this cruelty is not confined to cats and dogs alone, but horses are overloaded and beaten every day. It is high time to put a stop to this, as it is nothing more or less than heathenism, and should not be tolerated among civilized people. C. T. D.
St. Louis.

Alarming.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

"A Woman Suffragist" suggests that man being the strongest mentally, morally and physically, he should sit on the fence and watch Miss Notoriety and her companions travel up the road to success.

Boys, if it becomes fashionable for a man traveling on the road to success to stop and let the ladies pass, I guess we will have to take our little skiff and row up Salt river.
St. Louis. J. J. B.

"Highly Satisfactory!"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Your paper says that the recent report of the transit company officials on the year's business was "highly satisfactory" to the board of directors, etc. This "highly satisfactory" condition of affairs, it is quite unnecessary to say, was largely at the expense of the people—the reduction in the number of cars used and the cutting down of the people employed. This is all "highly satisfactory," indeed—to the stock gambling fraternity, as well as to those who are the recipients of dividends from "judicious investments" in transit stock.

With the jingling of the money thus earned are heard the curses of thousands of hard working people who have been compelled to stand on the street corners morning, noon and night, in rain, sleet and snow, under freezing temperature, waiting for a chance to get to work and back home by the transit company's rotten system, and the execrations and maledictions of other thousands of women and children who have been similarly vilely treated by this monopoly. T. H. B.
St. Louis.

The Dog Pound.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Replying to the article in yesterday's edition of your paper signed "North End Business Woman." I do not reside in a locality of unbounded wealth, and realize there are a number of unfortunate children in this city, deserving of the most charitable attention. Such children are mostly the product of drunken, shiftless parents, and a word to the proper authorities of any one of the numerous local organizations conducted in the behalf of these unfortunates, would soon remedy this deplorable, but ever present problem of a large city.

Dogs are the beloved pets and playfellows of children in thousands of St. Louis homes, and anyone familiar with the cruel practices of the dog pound, where dumb animals are strangled, cast into the crowded wagons and then kept for days at the pound without food or water, who would then calmly say: "Let the pound proceed," is sadly lacking in that womanly feeling which is the inspiration of so much humane work.

Let the good work of rescuing dumb animals from torture go on, and may it soon reach a successful culmination. In closing, I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the Post-Dispatch for its valuable support of this worthy cause, which is deeply appreciated by every right-minded citizen in this community. M. K.
St. Louis.

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To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

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ALL THE NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

HUSTING QUITS ST. LOUIS CLUB

One of McAleer's Staff Signs With Boston American Club.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 15.—Pitcher Pete Husting, who played with the Milwaukee team last season, has signed a contract to play this season with the Boston team of the American League. It is stated that Husting will draw $2700 for the season. He was on the reserve list of the St. Louis Club, but when Manager McAleer declined to pay him the salary asked—which was $2700—Husting announced that he would remain at Fon Du Lac and practice law.

Husting will hardly be missed by Messrs. Hedges, McAleer & Co., as their pitching staff is very well filled. Harper, Powell, Sudhoff, Reidy and Donahue are a quintette that will compare with any staff in the League, except, perhaps, the Chicago aggregation.

Husting was also a member of the St. Louis staff, according to the official list of team members given out at the Detroit meeting by Ban Johnson. He did fair work for the Milwaukee team, and undoubtedly will do better with the strong aggregation. Reidy, however, is considered his superior. He is the only one left of the staff of Milwaukee pitchers who will play with the St. Louis team during the coming season.

In only one case can Husting's departure seriously interfere with the season's plans of Jimmy McAleer. That is, if the National proves its contract with Harper valid and prevents his playing with the American League.

BASEBALL COMMENT

With the departure of Ban Johnson from St. Louis some of the doubts that have been clouding the horizon also take wing. The bugbear of a permit for building the temporary grandstand has not yet been issued, but it will be, say the American League people. Ban Johnson would hardly leave the front otherwise. The matter will be acted upon by the board of appeals. As the Robisons were granted permission to put up a wooden structure which instead of being temporary has the appearance of becoming permanent, there is no reason to believe a purely temporary permit will be refused the American in its emergency. It is a matter of impossibility to get steel contracts filled under six months at the shortest. The plans for the stand contemplate the substitution of steel as soon as the latter can be received.

A day or two of sunshine and the local professionals will be in uniform and getting into shape for the spring season. The amateurs have already taken to the damp lots. Up in Chicago they have already played two games, the Chicago University team defeating the Hyde Park aggregation twice.

Local club members will be dropping into the city shortly, as reporting time in both leagues is coming round. The American League expects most of its men in St. Louis by March 25, the club having an engagement train to West Baden in the preliminary season.

Manager Patsy Donovan is completing his stay in Hot Springs and is likely to return to St. Louis any day.

Donovan and other managers are proceeding with their preparations for the opening of the season as if there were no cloud on the National League horizon. Notwithstanding, Freedman, Brush and all the magnates deny any possibility of a meeting in the near future, as was announced in dispatches. As far as they are concerned, harmony is as far off as ever.

SUCCESS FOR THE NATIONAL.

The magnates, however, to a man, believe that the National will be doing business, and their confidence is inspiring. Charles Nicholls, once the famous Boston pitcher, now a baseball magnate himself, says he believes the National will not only emerge from its present difficulty, but will overthrow the American eventually.

Nicholls thinks that the American is paying too large salaries and will kill itself. This may come to pass, but it appears to most persons that Der Boss president had the right idea when he said that the paying of big salaries worked all right in his day—why should it not work now, especially as the League has adopted an increased scale of prices.

The Harper-Heidrick-Wallace controversy is still unsettled, and managers of both St. Louis clubs would fain have information as to what is going to happen to the three stars. Hedges says he has the men in an ironclad brasp; Robison says he has them equally certain. That team will have the advantage to which the men first report, as possession is almost everything in baseball and will force the National to take up the burden of proof.

The loss of these three men to either team is a vital one, and if the National has ground for a fight it will surely make a bitter one. Wallace, Heidrick and Harper would make Donovan's team expand its chest like a pennant winner and really strengthen that organization immensely. With Richardson on first, Farrel on second, Wallace at short and Hartman or Kruger at third the infield would rank with the best in the country.

The loss of these men would surely tear the American League team to pieces and Hedges and company, at present on the happy side of the situation will not part with these players except under stress.

A grand ruction appears the only way out of the matter.

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"LUCKY" BALDWIN HAS RECOVERED FORTUNES AND IT GAINING HEALTH

REPORTS OF HIS POVERTY ARE UNFOUNDED



"LUCKY" BALDWIN.

The aged turfman is fast recovering his health on his 50,000 acre ranch on the southern coast of California.

Post-Dispatch Correspondent Visits the Old Californian on Ranch Which He Has Redeemed From Ruin to Plenty.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 15.—Should you see it printed that Lucky Baldwin is dying in comparative poverty, refuse to believe it. The famous old Californian, although he has reached the age of 74, is not dying, nor is he poor.

It is true that he has been quite ill recently, but he has fully recovered and on his 50,000 acre ranch in southern California, he is leading an active outdoor life that has infused him with all of his old time vigor.

A Post-Dispatch correspondent visited him at the Santa Anita ranch house the other day. He found the venerable turfman taking a siesta on the west veranda of the handsome building, just after the noon hour. About him was a group of women, including his eldest daughter, who assisted in nursing him through his sick spell. He smiled when asked about his health.

"I've been a little under the weather, y'e he said, "with a bad cold and a slight touch of pneumonia, but my condition has not been so critical as has been reported. I would have been out looking after my farming every day last week if it had not been for the rain.

Not a Careful Liver Himself.

"A man of my age," he continued solemnly, "has to take care of himself. I consider myself good for a number of years yet, and will outlive many of the people who have reported me dead or dying. Most people would live longer if they took proper care of themselves, but the trouble with the majority is that they don't learn how to live until it is too late."

It occurred to Lucky Baldwin that conversation concerning careful living sounded strange coming from him—a highliver since he attained his manhood—he gave no sign. In fact if his strenuous existence were not a matter of common report it might be imagined from his appearance that concern for his health had been his chief rather than his least regarded object in life.

Mr. Baldwin had reverses in late years, but his pluck and energy has put him on his feet again and when he dies he will leave a comfortable estate behind him. The burning of his hotel in San Francisco was a severe blow to him. Threats were made that mortgages would be foreclosed on his property. Everybody thought that "Lucky" Baldwin was broke.

At an age when most men are content to retire and dream, "Lucky" Baldwin went to the Klondike to recoup his shattered fortunes. He worked in the bleak Cape Nome region to such good effect that he is said to have accumulated enough money to revive his bank account. He still retains extensive interests in Alaska.

Ranch One of Finest on the Coast.

During his absence his magnificent ranch property deteriorated. An unprecedented dry spell spoiled his crops, laborers were not paid, the splendid buildings were going to decay. He came back and took personal hold. The result of his work was soon apparent. Debts were paid and, where decay had reigned, fruitful prosperity blossomed. His ranch today is one of the finest properties on the coast. Hordes of servants do his bidding and he reigns like a czar.

The breeding of fine horses continues to be the hobby of "Lucky" Baldwin. In the stud of Santa Anita are still the famous Derby winners, Emperor of Norfolk and Rey El Santa Anita. The old turfman pays particular attention to their get.

At present he has about 220 thoroughbreds on his ranch, among them Americano, which he considers the greatest 2-year-old ever foaled. Americano is a full brother of Crusader, who won 66 out of 67 races as a 2-year-old and is entered in the American Derby. Mr. Baldwin has been offered $15,000 for Americano, but says he would not take $20,000 for him. The Baldwin colors will be carried by 14 of his fleetest performers on the eastern tracks this season.

LAST YEAR'S CHAMPIONS ENTER PAROCHIAL LEAGUE

Holy Names Will Again Contest for First Honors and the Medals in the Post-Dispatch Organization.

PUBLIC AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOL BOYS

In next Tuesday's issues of the Post-Dispatch complete announcements will be made concerning the arrangements for the Post-Dispatch Public and Parochial School Leagues. A new plan is being considered whereby the season will be made shorter and according to which the schedule will close with the end of the school year.

The date of opening and closing of the season, the rules to govern match games and other important facts will be among the points touched upon next Tuesday. In the meantime, send in your entries—it is not too early, and it is advisable to have all entries in as soon as possible.

"And still they come."

Four more applications for admission to the Post-Dispatch Public and Parochial School leagues were received by the sporting editor Saturday morning swelling the membership in the former organization to 12 teams and the Parochial to four.

Dr. Hyatt has been rather disappointing in the article of weather he has dispensed for the league and rain has for the most part prevented any active practice. It need not interfere with the filing of applications, however, and all schools contemplating entry into the league should announce their intention at once.

The present members of the leagues are as follows:

PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Blow,	Sherman,
Webster,	Longfellow,
Jackson,	Penrose,
Grow,	Lowell,
Marquette,	John Marshall,
Garfield,	Charless.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL LEAGUE.

St. Rose,	Unnamed team,
Sacred Heart,	Holy Name.
St. Patrick's.	

The parochial school entry was from the Holy Name team, which was the winner of last year's championship. The club last season went through without a defeat save at the hands of the Irving school in an informal game at the Fair Grounds. The test of the strength of the two teams then was not a fair one as the nature of the grounds was such that chance entered largely into the calculations.

Many of the members of the last season's club will be on the team this year and no doubt another strong team will be placed in the field.

Another entry was received for the principal league, but the name of the school was unfortunately omitted by the author, Capt. Joseph Kelly. If he will inform the sporting editor, the name will be enrolled on the list.

RADICAL CHANGES IN GOLF RULES

Championship Preliminaries to Qualify 64 Instead of 32 in 18 Hole Matches.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Radical changes have been made by the executive committee of the United States Gold Association in the bylaws governing the pairing on the American amateur championships and the number to qualify in both the amateur and women's championships.

Hereafter all medal play rounds in championships for men and women shall be 18 holes and the first 64 will qualify instead of the first 32, as formerly. This will reduce the first day's play to a sorting out of the best 64 who will meet in match play.

In the pairings for the preliminary rounds at match play, player No. 1 will be paired with No. 32, player No. 2 with No. 34 and so on. It will be impossible to tell under this arrangement where any players outside of the first four will land.

So far as the women are concerned, the benefit can readily be seen. At Philadelphia, in 1899, where 73 finished, there were only three strokes between the 18th and 22d to finish, and at Baltusrol last year there were only five strokes between the 18th and 23d.

"WHIP REGAN FIRST" FORBES TO FELTZ

Bantam Champion Will Fight Winner of Next Local Fight.

If Tommy Feltz wants to meet Harry Forbes in a second and longer battle for the bantam championship of the world, he will have to be the victor in a match between himself and Regan, arranged to take place March 31.

At a meeting of managers and fighters held yesterday afternoon, Feltz and his manager, insisting on a battle with Forbes, were answered that Feltz would have to whip Regan before he could get a match with the champion. It was further agreed that if Regan whipped Feltz in the coming battle, Forbes would give him the chance, in place of Feltz.

It was agreed that both battles should be longer than the regulation affairs held at the West End Club. Feltz has all along contended that a 15-round bout was not of sufficient duration to decide a championship affair. Accordingly Regan and Feltz will box 20 rounds March 31, instead of 15. If Feltz wins and meets Forbes, he will insist on 20 or more rounds.

The championship battle is scheduled to be fought about April 20, after Forbes' hand has had time to heal.

Broad and Attell signed articles for their fight, Friday, and the Cleveland man agreed to make 126 instead of 127. The winner of the bout will probably be matched to fight Young Corbett. Attell has practically been promised a match.

BELMONTS VICTORS OVER THE TOPSYS

Severson With a Little Aid Made the Highest Possible Score.

On the Acme alleys Friday the Belmonts and Topsys met in a cocked hat match. The former won by 4 to 1. Severson, with a four-pin allowance, made 90 and totaled 282. His average was 56 2-5. Jungk did some fine work for the Topsys, averaging 58 4-5 and totaling 294. Thompson was second man for the losers and Wharton in the same position for the winners.

Globes and Diels had an interesting set-to on Roeder's alleys Friday, the former managing to win the odd game. Glessow was the star player of the winning team, averaging 191 1-3 and totaling 291. Sparks gave him the best assistance. Scholl and Poettgen were the leading players for the Diels.

In a contest between the Roeders and Manewals Friday night the former team had no trouble in winning by a score of 4 to 1. Hammett and Clymer were the leaders of the Roeders, while Dueker and Rickart led the Manewals. The general average of both teams was under 50.

On Pueser's alleys Friday night the Angelicas whitewashed the Gillwaters by capturing five consecutive games. Pueser with an average of 53 3-5 led the winners, with Wold and Lepper tied for the place. Gill was out in front for the losers, with Nunneman in the place by a nose.

In the Office Men's Club League the Delmars and Beaumonts clashed Friday night, the former winning the odd game. The Delmars won all their games by a wide margin. Tillman and Buschart were the leaders of the winners and Hanson and Dr. Fischer were high for the losers.

Although the Missouris totaled more pins than the Centurys in their match Friday they still lost by a score of 3 to 2. Dampert, with an allowance, was the star of the winners, while Cullen was on top for the losers. Both teams averaged less than 50.

In the Penrose League the Flyaways won the odd game from the O. Ks. Friday by a score of 3 to 2. Both teams were handicapped by rolling blinds. The general average was less than 40. H. Link and Schaefer were the leaders of the winners and Brady and Cordes excelled for the losers.

On the Royal alleys Friday night the Electricians and Winders of the Emerson League played a series. The former won four games out of five. Hahn and St. Cyre were the leaders of the electricians, and Ahrens and Reusch were in front for the Winders.

In the Oarsmen's League Friday the Centrals and Centurys clashed and the former won by 3 to 2. The general average was under 50. Buck and Petchoneck were in front for the winners, while D. and W. Beck were the leaders of the losing aggregation.

POLO PONIES IN DEMAND

English Expert Buys 40 American Ponies for Polo Purposes.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The steamer Menominee, which sails today for London, will carry 40 Montana ponies consigned to W. E. Bruy, the veteran English polo expert.

American ponies are in great demand among players of polo in England this year and nearly every Atlantic transport ship which sails from here carries a bunch of these sturdy little animals.

Golf Lecture for Charity.

Wednesday evening, April 3, an entertainment will be given at the West End Hotel for the benefit of the St. Louis Children's Hospital. A band of 26 pieces will furnish music. A feature will be an illustrated lecture on golf by President George S. McGrew of the Glen Echo Country Club. He will show 100 views of interest to golfers. Mr. McGrew has been notified by Edward F. Martin, secretary of the Western Golf Association, that he has been nominated for the position of director in that institution, the election to be held April 3.

Hutchings Won From Hevner.

Clarence Hutchings won Friday night's class A three-cushion tournament billiard game from George Hevner at the Grand, 50 to 46. The contest was one of the closest of the tourney. The issue was in doubt to the last moment. Several times the men were tied. They reached the 46 mark together. Hutchings ran one and then on Hevner's miss ran three more and out. Hutchings' high run was 4 and his average .44. Hevner scored 3 as his best run and .41 for an average.

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MOGLERS WERE DEFEATED.

M. B. & B.'s Won From Them Easily on the Grand Alleys.

In a tenpin encounter Friday night between the M. B. and B.'s and Moglers on the Grand alleys, the former won by 2 to 1. Johanningmeyer and Sacks led the winners and Dierkes was far in front of his colleagues for the Moglers.

On the Grand Friday night, the Old Capitols won two games out of three from the 1903's. The games were of the ordinary character. H. Landolt and Jenkes were the leaders of their respective sides.

MUDDY TRACK FOR NEW ORLEANS DERBY

Lord Quex Is the Favorite and Kaffir the Second Choice.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 15.—Today's Crescent City Derby will be run in mud and slush fetlock deep. Eight horses are scheduled to go to the post. Vassal Dance will carry the lightest weight, only 110 pounds, and he will be piloted by the crack jockey, "Tiny" Williams.

All the rest will carry 115 pounds with the exception of Lord Quex, who will saddle 122 pounds. This is a big margin of weight for the Lord to carry over his opponents, especially in deep going, but he seems to outclass his field and should win on form.

Winkfield, who will ride him, is one of the best boys at New Orleans and will no doubt do the son of Ingoldsby full justice. His chances, however, would be better on a good fast track, as he negotiated seven furlongs a few days ago in the splendid time of 1:27½.

His ability to carry the weight is unquestioned, and he is on edge for this event. The field opposed to him is a poor one, Kaffir being the only one that has any claims to distinction. On the St. Louis tracks last year Kaffir was an ordinary selling-plater.

If Lord Quex is beaten, which is not likely, it will be because of his dislike for heavy going. On a good fast track he would be a 1 to 3 shot, and even with the track today not to his liking, his class alone should bring him home in front in the first Derby of 1902.

JUDD LOST CHESS TOURNEY

George H. Wolbrecht, a Young Lawyer, Is Now Local Chess Champion.

Mr. Max Judd is no longer St. Louis chess champion, Mr. George Wolbrecht having won that honor by defeating Judd and other opponents in the St. Louis Chess Club's recent tourney for possession of the Brown cup.

Wolbrecht won eight and lost two games of the tourney, while Judd lost three and won seven. In the meetings between Judd and Wolbrecht each won a contest. Wolbrecht lost his other game to Schrader, while Judd lost to Koerper and could do no better than score two halves with Nix. The last score, 1, set him the contest.

Wolbrecht's victory is a surprise, as Judd was thought to be practically certain of the championship. Wolbrecht is a young lawyer and a close student of the game.

The Brown cup is only temporarily in possession of Wolbrecht as it is subject to challenges from the leading five men of the tourney.

The record of the match follows:

	Judd.	Juchne.	Koerper.	Nix.	Schrader.	Wolbrecht.	Games won.	Games lost.
Max Judd	....	1 1	0 1	½½	1 1	1 0	7	3
O. Juchne	....	0 0	½ 0	½ 0	0 0	1 ½	1½	9½
R. Koerper	....	1 0½	½	½	0 0	0 0	4	6
J. G. Nix	....	½½	½ 1	0 ½	....	0 0	3	7
Ed Schrader	....	0 0	1 ½	1 1	1 0	....	6½	3½
G. H. Wolbrecht	....	1 ½	1 1	1 1	0 1	....	8	2

In the handicap tourney now in progress Messrs. McFarland, Buehrman and Widen have withdrawn. Standing of the players follows:

Player.	W.	L.	Player.	W.	L.
Schrader	6½	2½	McGinnis	2½	9
Judd	12½	4½	Davison	2	9
Koerper	11½	4½	Juchne	6	10
Swormstedt	8½	7½	Lawson	6	10

CHICAGO DOG SHOW ENDED

Affair Was Most Successful of All, 1000 Dogs Having Been Exhibited.

CHICAGO, March 15.—The annual bench show of the Chicago Kennel Club, practically closed with a parade of prize-winning dogs and their owners. The show has been one of the most successful ever held in Chicago, about 1000 dogs having been on exhibition. Many of the exhibitors were women of the fashionable world.

All records for sales have been broken at this year's show, more than $50,000 having changed hands. Many of the finest dogs from the East have been purchased on local account and will hereafter be owned by Chicagoans.

It is stated that because the Interstate Field Trial, a local association, changed its name to the American Championship Field Trial Association and made the qualifications for dogs competing in the annual championship event such that only winners of state trials can take part, there is likelihood of disruption of the organization. Several state organizations, have threatened to withdraw.

The association is composed of 11 organizations, Missouri, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, South Dakota, International of Canada, Western of Kansas City, Illinois, Iowa and Alabama.

DONLIN IS EXPELLED.

Baltimore Club Says It Will Not Tolerate Rowdyism.

BALTIMORE, March 15.—Michael Donlin, a member of the Baltimore American League baseball club, was expelled Friday because of his action in striking Miss Fields, an actress in the Ben Hur company, now playing in the city.

The officials declared that under no circumstances would they tolerate rowdyism on the part of team members.

Donlin is alleged to have struck Miss Fields on the street and without provocation. He says he hit the girl accidentally, while aiming a blow at a man with whom he was quarreling.

Donlin left the city after that escapade and has not been heard from since.

Clearwater Defeated Long.

NEW YORK, March 15.—William H. Clearwater won the first game of the evening in the world's championship pool tournament at Brooklyn from Irving Long, champion of the South, score 125 to 68. Clearwater's high run was 45, Long's 15.

Socialistic Candidates.

At a convention of socialists, held Friday night at Concordia Hall, Thirteenth and Arsenal streets, G. A. Hoehn of the Tenth ward, E. Val Putnam of the Ninth ward and M. Ballard Duncan of the Twenty-fourth ward, were nominated as candidates for representatives of the state legislature, for the First representative district.

A festival will be held at Druid's Hall, Ninth and Market streets, Saturday night, at which the campaign will be opened. Preparations are being made to organize the district on socialistic lines.

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Several weeks ago Chris Knebelkamp of Belleville, the contractor, began making repairs on the company's old power house on the bluffs.

Thursday, in accordance with orders from the company, Knebelkamp stopped work on the old house. The new one in Winstanley Park, it is said, will be a mammoth structure.

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YOUNG MAN—Young man of 20 desires a position where he can make himself useful; light delivery preferred. Ad. M 89, Post-Dispatch.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

ALL carriage and wagon workers are requested to stay away from Denver, Colo., on account of lockout. By order of Local Union No. 37 of St. Louis. Thos. J. Farrell, Secretary.

BARBER WANTED—A good barber, for Saturday and Sunday; $4 guaranteed. 2822 N. Newstead.

BARBER WANTED—First-class, sober barber at once; steady job; good money. Ad. Chenoweth & Berghofer, Fulton, Mo.

BARBER WANTED—Barber at 1131 N. Newstead.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday, with or without tools. 317 Walnut st.

BARBER WANTED—Good steady barber; bring tools at once. 1903 Franklin av.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday. 1231 Market st.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday 3908 Gravois.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber for Saturday and Sunday. 1513 Franklin.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber at once. 1427 Franklin.

BARBER WANTED—At once; steady position; bring tools. 1308 Franklin av.

BARTENDER WANTED—Bartender; must do porter work and assist at table. 2022 N. Broadway.

BELLBOY WANTED—At Moser Hotel, Pine st., between 8th and 9th.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—1 good machine blacksmith, that can handle steam hammer. Geo. F. Fritz Foundry Co., 2008 S. 3d st.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Young man for bookkeeping and office work. Ad. in own handwriting giving age, salary expected and references, M 97, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Boy to feed printing press. 612 S. 6th st.

BOY WANTED—Boy about 17 to 19 to learn baker trade; call 3001 North Market st.

BOY WANTED—Honest, sober boy, about 16, to tend cigar stand; hours 7 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. Apply 400 Morgan st.

BOY WANTED—Boy 16 years old to work in machine shop. Sieber & Trussell Mfg. Co., 1007 Olive st.

BOY WANTED—About 16, to work around house. 4617 Olive st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BOY WANTED—Colored boy in barber shop. 1131 N. Vandeventer av.

BOYS WANTED—To sell canes for St. Patrick's parade. St. Louis Confetti Co., 9-11 N. 9th.

BOY WANTED—A neat colored boy for utility work. Breitling Restaurant, 411 N. Broadway.

BOY WANTED—Boy. Forest Park University.

BOY WANTED—A colored boy; must have good reference. 5559 Cabanne pl.

BRASS WORKER WANTED—A thoroughly experienced brass bench hand; steady employment. Ad. Peerless Manufacturing Co., Louisville, Ky.

BUGGY WASHER WANTED—Experienced buggy and wagon washer, white, married man; must live in barn; no other need apply. 2216 Market st.

CABINET MAKER WANTED—Cabinet maker. H. Bohme, 2116 S. Jefferson.

CARPENTER WANTED—Carpenter who will work cheap. Room 401, 904 Olive; 6 p. m., today.

CIGAR MAKER WANTED—A union hand cigar maker who is a musician, playing clarionet, cornet, slide trombone or first violin; must be man of good habits. Ad. A. R. Lewis, Morrison, Ill.

CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk with some experience; apply at once. 9th and Montgomery sts.

CLOTH CUTTERS WANTED—Experienced; familiar with cutting for tailoring to the trade houses; good wages and steady employment. Apply or ad. Ridgely-Walker Co., 217 N. 9th st., St. Louis, Mo.

COOKS WANTED—First and second cooks. Collier's Hotel, Granite City, Ill.

COOK WANTED—A second cook; man, at 2319 Olive st.

CUT THIS OUT; bring to 4670 Easton; hair cut, 15c, shave, 10c.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED—Dining room girl at 1018 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Man dishwasher. 1801 N. Broadway.

DRIVER WANTED—Young man to drive grocery delivery wagon; ref. 4307 Laclede av.

GARDENER WANTED—All around garden man to take care of private place; must bring good ref. 4508 Ashland av., corner Taylor av.

HARNESS FOREMAN WANTED—By a large harness factory out of the city; a man who has had experience in handling a large force and understands getting out a general line of medium and fine harness—no others need apply. Only those who furnish references with application will receive attention. A splendid opportunity for the right man. Ad. M 16, Post-Dispatch.

HARNESS MAKERS AND CUTTERS WANTED—25 harness makers and cutters. Morley Bros. Saddlery Co., Chicago, Ill.

HOOP SHAVERS WANTED—5 hoop shavers at Morrison, Mo., on the Mo. Pac. R. R. A. Gleich.

HORSESHOER WANTED—A good, steady horseshoer for country shop; take Suburban car. Call or address Patrick Buckley, Cross Keys, Mo.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—Houseman; white or colored, for house and dining room work. 3432 Franklin av.

HOSTLER WANTED—A good, sober hostler. Apply at 3321 Easton av.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—A colored man for cooking and general housework. 4301 Washington av.

LABORERS WANTED—S. W. Missouri; free pass; tonight. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th.

LABORERS WANTED—Cheap rates, Oklahoma, Indian Territory; tonight. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

LABORERS WANTED—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill.

MAN WANTED—An experienced man to take charge of factory cost system; must be energetic and able; state salary expected. Ad. L 22, P.-D.

MAN WANTED—Middle-aged man for pantry and dining room work. 1707 S. 7th st.

MAN WANTED—Clean, sober man to work around kitchen. Voney's Restaurant, 313 Locust st.

MAN WANTED—A young man for bookkeeper, in city hotel; give age and ref. Ad. O 8, Post-Dis.

MAN WANTED—Immediately, colored man to help in kitchen; come ready for work. 3437 Morgan.

MAN WANTED—An experienced young man as assistant bookkeeper; state age, experience and salary expected. Ad. L 42, Post-Dispatch.

PACKER WANTED—Expert; good pay and steady work. New York Storage Co., 2219 Wash st.

PAINTER AND BLACKSMITH WANTED—On repair work. Erhardt Carriage Co., Atchison, Kan.

PAINTER WANTED—Good nonunion painter; steady work. Call 6129 Ridge av., after 5:30 p. m.

PORTER AND HOUSEMAN WANTED—Apply at St. James Hotel.

PORTER WANTED—A white hotel porter. Rilling's Hotel, 7th and Walnut.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary. 1214 Franklin av.

TAILORS WANTED—On custom coats; steady work; good pay. Mills & Averill Tailoring Co., Broadway and Pine st.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—In railroad office; in answering give experience and salary expected. Ad. P. G. Kennett, Bonne Terre, Mo.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—Fast, accurate stenographer in wholesale shoe house; must be acquainted with shoe terms; male or female. Ad. M 114, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—With machine and good business ideas. Ad. M 127, Post-Dispatch.

STRIPER WANTED—An experienced farm wagon striper; steady work. 2622 Chouteau av.

SUPERINTENDENT WANTED—A general superintendent for a coal mine; applicant must have mining experience, commercial education and be a bookkeeper. For further information ad. M 61, Post-Dispatch.

TAILOR WANTED—All around tailor; steady work; call this evening. Apply 306 Chestnut st.

TEAMS WANTED—7th and Washington; 35c load and trap ticket. Carroll Contracting Co.

TEAMS AND LABORERS WANTED—On scraper work; shovelers, wages $1.75. Kennerly, between Marcus and Euclid avs. Heman & Skrainka.

TEAMS WANTED—For scraper work; new building. 3320 Rutger st.

THE National Founders' Association will pay at least $3.75 per day for a few good machinery floor molders to work in Chicago, Ill. Permanent employment and no trouble. Ad. Box 410, Chicago, Ill.

THE Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st., wants men to learn the trade; last 30 days that scholarship, board, tools and transportation can be earned before leaving home; special inducements to applicants from distance; only eight weeks required; steady practice; expert instructions, etc.; write for particulars today.

VESTMAKER WANTED—First-class vestmaker. Murdock & Macke, 210 Century bldg.

WAITERS WANTED—4 good hotel waiters; colored; also a helper for kitchen. Usona Hotel, King's highway and McPherson.

WAITERS WANTED—Two good hotel waiters; colored; also a good man to help in kitchen. Apply at 1520 Locust st.

WAITER WANTED—Colored; must be experienced; also colored porter who knows how to carry trays. 1730 Olive st., restaurant.

WANTED—Trustworthy person in each county to manage business old established house, solid financial standing; straight, bona fide weekly cash salary $18, paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters; money advanced for expenses. Manager, 349 Caxton bldg., Chicago.

WANTED—In order to verify the statement that we cannot fill half the calls we receive for stenographers, we will say that if any of our former shorthand students, who remained in college till competent, asked our assistance in securing a situation and failed to secure one, will return at once, we will pay them a reasonable salary until position is secured, and we will accommodate all who apply. We will give a $50 scholarship to any one who will find a single case where a student who has taken a thorough course of bookkeeping and shorthand or the shorthand course only who was a fairly good speller and who could write a fairly good business hand, has failed to secure a good position as bookkeeper or stenographer through us, provided that student asked our assistance. While we have expended at least $15,000 and 12 years of hard work establishing our employment department, we will, after this date, not charge our students for securing positions, for we believe that we now have our employment department so well established that we can hereafter conduct it at less expense. Call to see us, or write for catalogue, before entering elsewhere. It will explain all. Draughon's Practical Business College, Emilie building, corner 9th and Olive.

WIREWORKERS WANTED—And railing makers. Call at Ludlow & Saylor Wire Co., Newstead av. and Wabash R. R.

WHEN photos are the best. 1631 Franklin. Life-size photo with our best cabinets.

YOU need trousers, cuffs, make long pants short, short pants long; athletes, cyclists and horsemen; neat, durable; postpaid 50c. Ad. M 44, Post-Dispatch.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

SOLICITORS WANTED—10 solicitors; best proposition. 113 N. 11th st.

SALESMEN WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

OIL SALESMEN—To sell lubricating oil and greases on salary or commission; excellent side line. The A. G. Harbaugh Co., Cleveland, O.

SALESMAN WANTED—First-class man only; no time to waste on others. Ad. M 96, Post-Dis.

SALESMAN WANTED—At once, experienced city neckwear salesman, with well established trade; no others need answer; excellent position for the right man. Ad. K 117, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN WANTED—Calling on country dealers, to sell our dry goods specialties on commission; good paying side line. Frank La Lanne & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN WANTED—2 salesmen for the city; experienced canvassers preferred; give reference. Ad. M 80, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN WANTED—Dry goods; must speak German. Apply 1216 S. Broadway, 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

SALESMAN WANTED—First-class, experienced woolen salesman for Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska; state age, reference, amount annual sales and compensation desired. George W. Bernstein, successor to Biddle, Bernstein & Co., 435 Market st., Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMAN WANTED—First-class experienced salesman in silk department; state positions held, length of time in each position and salary expected. J. L. Brandeis & Sons, Omaha, Neb.

WANTED—Experienced Silk and Dress Goods Salesmen. References required. Apply D. CRAWFORD & CO.

AGENTS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS WANTED—Brandnew ticket; just out; start today and get the cream; $30 per week easily made. Murillo. 1314 Olive st.

AGENTS WANTED—Portrait men; salary and commission. 113 N. 11th st.

EXP. men to sell our new ticket; agents make $10 a day; big weekly commission. Genelli, 923 Olive.

SHAMROCK buttons, 25c per doz; $1.50 per 100. St. Louis Button Co., 620 N. Broadway.

$12 A WEEK and expenses paid men and women. Experience not necessary; permanent position. Lenene Co., Dept. 72, Parsons, Kan.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BOOKKEEPER—A thoroughly competent bookkeeper with 9 years' experience desires pos't on with some reliable firm; very best references. Ad. M 30, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Young lady desires position in private office in a large office building; is familiar with bookkeeping, typewriting and office work in general; salary to start $5 per week. Ad. M 87, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by reliable colored girl to cook or clean house by day. 2651 Pine.

CURTAIN CLEANER—Work wanted; lace curtains and fancy work cleaned by an expert woman; call or send postal. 1900 N. Grand av.

GIRL—Girl with experience would like work in laboratory. Ad. H 656, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by German girl for general housework; can't speak English. 4227 Gratiot st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Middle-aged German woman would like position as housekeeper for widower. 3739 California av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position in rooming house or for widower; no objections to country. 1414 Broadway, East St. Louis, Ill.

HOUSEWOMAN—Competent lady with babe wishes housework in family of two; small salary and home. Ad. M 94, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeeper; small family; by competent woman, not afraid of work; city reference. Ad. L 115, P.-D.

HOUSEWOMAN—A French woman wants housework or nursing in strange family; speaks French and German only. Apply Navan Maria Settler, 5121 McKissock av.

LAUNDRESS—Home laundry, to take washing home, cheap; send postal or call. 20 Center st.

LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants washing to take home; can give reference. Cora Henderson, 2828A Easton av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, laundry work, by an experienced colored woman. 2605 Wash st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, small laundry to take home; nice yard, cistern water; ref. from last place. Mary Owens, 4316 St. Ferdinand.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by colored woman to do washing; go out or take home; rough dry. 3055 Easton av.

LAUNDRESS—Good colored laundress wants to go out by day. Call 4024 Finney av.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress would like Tuesday and Wednesday out, or bring home. Ad. 24 S. Leonard.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress, first 3 days, or bring home. 2636 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, by first-class colored girl, washing to take home; small washing preferred. 2757 Wash st.

LAUNDRESS—Would like to take any kind of washing in or out the house, or any kind of work. Ad. O 24, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Sympathetic and magnetic nurse wants place at reasonable salary; address for 5 days, M 77, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Sit. wanted to wait on invalid or gentleman with one or two children. 5968 Kennerly.

NURSEGIRL—Situation wanted by colored girl for nurse or to do housework. 17 Center st.

SEAMSTRESS—Situation wanted by a first-class seamstress in one family; $5 per week; Rock Church parish preferred. Ad. A., 6131 Easton.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young man as stenographer; can operate Smith and Remington machines. Ad. M 122, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by female stenographer; beginner; desires position in office. Ad. M 107, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by stenographer; neat and accurate; 2 years' experience; moderate salary. Ad. L 116, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Stenographer with knowledge of German and Spanish wants employment. Ad. M 47, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by competent young lady stenographer. Ad. L 195, Post-Dis.

VESTMAKER—A lady vestmaker would like to get custom vests to make at home. Ad. M 70, Post-Dispatch.

WIDOW—A widow wants washing to take home, for men or families. Mrs. White, 1526 N. 10th.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents. Business Announcements, 10 Cents Per Line.

ALTERATION HANDS WANTED—Experienced only, on ladies' suits and skirts. Menter, Rosenbloom & Co., 417 Washington av., upstairs.

CABINET MAKER WANTED—First-class, in furniture repair work. 1037 N. Vandeventer.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Neat colored chambermaid, for day work; ref. 4582 Maffitt.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Experienced chambermaid at Moser's Hotel, Pine, between 8th and 9th sts.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Night; colored. 1221 Chestnut st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to do plain cooking, washing and ironing; $18. 4421 Forest Park bl.

COOK WANTED—Cook in small family; good wages. 5108 Fairmount.

COOK WANTED—Good colored girl who understands cooking; none other need apply. 4394 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Good girl or woman; white; experienced cook; good wages. 2327 Lucas.

COOK WANTED—Good restaurant cook at once. 2801 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron in family of 3. 3333 Lafayette.

COOK WANTED—A girl for cooking and general housework; small family. 5154 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Experienced cook and housemaid; family of 3; ref. 3747 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Cook and chambermaid. 1416 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Woman cook for family, at once; must be good cook. 2817 Pine st.

COOK WANTED—An experienced cook; no washing and ironing; reference required. No. 5211 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—A good cook; one who will assist in housework; no washing or ironing; good wages to desirable party; references required. Capt. O'Shea, 4 West, Jefferson Barracks.

COOK WANTED—A good German girl for cooking. 2900 S. 7th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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DRESSMAKER WANTED—Dressmaker to sew on children's dresses. Mrs. J. B. Goldstein, 4299 Cook av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for hand buttonholes. 1010 N. 10th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Hall and bathroom girls. Inquire housekeeper St. Nicholas Hotel, 8th st. entrance.

GIRL WANTED—To cook, wash and iron. 3316 Lucas av.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl for upstairs work and to assist with care of two children; small family. 5727 Delmar bl.

GIRL OR WOMAN WANTED—To wash. 1303 Chestnut st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to work around lunchroom night work; call after 5 p. m. 3217 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—To cook in restaurant. 3607 Finney av.

GIRLS WANTED—Machine girls and basters and girls to do pressing, and girls to learn on vests; steady work. 3004 Salena st.

GIRL WANTED—For pantry and dining room work. 1730 Olive, restaurant.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to fold and put up circulars; wages $2 a week to begin. 13 N. 2d st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts; steady work; good pay. R. E. Funston & Co., 300 N. Commercial st., corner of Olive st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two experienced dining room girls, for restaurant. 2621 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—A good girl to wash dishes and assist in housework. 1510 Washington av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for general restaurant work; $15 per month. 305 S. 4th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts; steady work; good wages. 518 N. 2d st.

GIRLS WANTED—To trim hats. Sylvester C. Judge Hat Factory, 1819-25 Pine st.

GIRL WANTED—An experienced buttonhole machine hand, on muslin underwear and shirtwaists. 411 N. 11th st.

GIRL WANTED—A girl to make herself generally useful. 3024 Glasgow pl., corner Webster.

HOME WORK; $12 weekly guaranteed; experience unnecessary; inclose stamp for full instructions, etc. Ad. 20th Century Co., Toledo, O.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 5829 Bartmer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; good pay. 3806 Delmar bl.

HOUSEMAID WANTED—Competent housemaid with reference. N. e. cor. Lindell and King's highway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of three. 5232A Minerva av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. 5446 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2326 S. 11th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework and to do cooking; no washing; car fare paid. 4508 Ashland av., corner Taylor av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Woman for housework at Forest Park University.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 5237 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A thoroughly competent girl for housework; white or colored; bring references. 3916 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family; best wages; no washing. 4843 Fountain.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—A middle-aged woman to assist with general housework; good home. Apply 3617 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. 2025 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 2337 S. Compton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young couple want good white girl for general housework; small flat; light work; wages, $3 per week; call at once. 4415 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3231 Eads av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework; no washing. 3820 Hartford st., one block west of Grand av. and one south of Tower Grove Park.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good, steady girl for general housework in small family. Apply 2214½ Olive st., first floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Thoroughly competent girl or woman for general housework; family of three; high wages to right party; call at once. 18 Parkland pl., in block 5800 Maple av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged woman for general housework; good wages and home. Apply 1414 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework, small family; one who can cook preferred. 3538 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework; small family. 1655 S. Jefferson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 1933 Carr st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl of 15 to assist housework. 2668 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—First-class girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing nor outside work; references. 3854 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three. 5646 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3850 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 1361 Euclid av., near Easton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl to assist in housework; two in family. 3137 Sheridan av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl to assist with housework; good place. 4276A St. Ferdinand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3155 Sheridan av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German housegirl. 3813 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework. 3300 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl to assist in general housework or cook. 4474 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl about 16; small family; work light; German preferred. 4411A Evans.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for housework. 4408 N. 14th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 15 years to assist in housework. 2638 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3200 Barrett st., 2d floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 3524 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; wages $15. 2108 Waverly pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; 4 in family; good wages. 4068 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no cooking, washing or ironing; call at once. 1744 Waverly pl.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED—Woman or girl for kitchen work; no objection to woman with child. 3719 N. Broadway.

LADIES WANTED—10 ladies to do sewing at home. Call 3907 West Belle pl.

LADIES WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring or facial massage; only four weeks required; comparatively no expense; splendid wages paid graduates; positions guaranteed or residence trade established; call or write today. Moler College, 1141 Market st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress to come to house; $1 per day. 2233 Washington av.

LINING CUTTER AND LINING STAMPER WANTED—On men's fine shoes. Desnoyer-Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—A strong white nursegirl, to take care of children and assist with upstairs work. 4202 Page bl.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Good nursegirl and to assist upstairs work; good wages. 4202 Page.

PRESSERS WANTED—On vests; good pay; steady work; call at once. 611 Geyer, upstairs.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Hand sewers, operators, tackers, finishers and buttonhole makers; beginners on vests; steady employment. Mills & Averill Tailoring Co., Broadway and Pine st.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—Thoroughly experienced seamstress for fine waists. 4553 Laclede av.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Experienced seamstresses for ladies' waists. 716 N. 11th st.

SKIRT AND CORSET HANDS WANTED—Hand workers and machine operators. Consedine Manufacturing Co., 2210 and 2212 Pine st.

SEWER WANTED—Experienced button sewer on Standard machine. Star Waist Co., 415 N. 8th.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—A young lady stenographer in doctor's office; must be good at taking dictation and quick, accurate operator on typewriter; state age, experience and salary wanted. Ad. P. O. Box 1004, St. Louis.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents. Business Announcements, 10 Cents Per Line.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced; steady work; good pay. Apply Meyer & Goessling Cloak Co., 719 N. 11th st.

WANTED—Experienced skirtmakers; steady work; good wages. N. & J. Friedman, n. w. cor. 8th and Lucas av.

WAIST TRIMMER WANTED—Waist trimmer, also skirt trimmer. Call 3408 Clark av.

WAISTMAKERS WANTED—Big inducements to experienced waistmakers on power machines. 703 Lucas av., 4th floor.

WHEN photos are the best. 1631 Franklin. Life-size photo with our best cabinets.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to wash dishes. 2125 Olive st.

WOMAN WANTED—Good white German woman, at once, general housework; must be first-class cook. 1043A N. Vandeventer.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

IRONER WANTED—No. 1 shirtwaist ironer. Schaab Laundry Co., 2300 Walnut st.

SORTER WANTED—Experienced flat work sorter. Schaab Laundry Co., 2300 Walnut st.

LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Lost.

CHILD'S COAT—Dark blue serge, trimmed in black taffeta bands, left on through Olive st. car; package was marked W. F. Silver. Please return to 5812 Von Versen av.

COMB—Lost, lady's gold-mounted shell comb; 5 turquoise, matrix and 4 pearls. Finder return to 1716 Longfellow bl. and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, brindle dog, over half bull, some white on breast and between front legs, tail curls forward and to right; reward if returned to C. C. Reed, 1902 N. 14th st.

KEYS—Lost, 4 office keys. Please return to 1600 Biddle st.; reward.

PASS BOOK—Lost, savings pass book No. 19,056, of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. is missing; any person having a claim to it is hereby called upon to present the same within 10 days or submit to having said pass book canceled and a new one issued.

PEN—Lost, fountain pen, between Keokuk and Barton. Reward if returned to B. Kersting, 1041 Victor st.

PUP—Lost, brindle Boston terrier pup, with collar on; sticking plaster on tips of ears; reward if returned to 4118 Westminster pl.

PURSE—Lost, lady's black purse, containing $10 bill, 10c and other small articles, 7:30 to 8 a. m. Saturday, on Washington av., between 19th and 16th. Finder return to 1814 Washington av. and receive reward.

PURSE—Lost, lady's small red purse containing $10 goldpiece; also $2 in paper money; bet. Crawford's and Ten Cent Store. Return Jordan, 417 N. Broadway, and receive reward.

PURSE—Lost, silver-mounted purse, at 9th and Lucas av.; finder can keep money if purse is kindly returned to 1410 Warren st.; reward. Ad. M 48, Post-Dispatch.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch bearing inscription Papa to Minnie, June 5, 1900. Finder please return to 816 N. Garrison av.

WATCH—Lost, in vicinity of Washington, Delmar, Vandeventer avs., gold hunting case watch; black fob, with buckle. Return to 608 Security bldg.; reward.

THEATRICAL.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

WANTED—Vaudeville performers. Call or write. Hashagen's Theater, 3300 Easton av.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BAKERS—Before commencing business write for prices on oven to the Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 60 West Van Buren st., Chicago.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Druggists, a first-class location is sure success; before buying or moving stock write me; it will pay. Ad. L 182, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—First-class oil stocks for other valuable property. Ad. M 90, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED.

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SALOON WANTED—Saloon of good location; must be reasonable; will pay cash. Ad. L 124, Post-D.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

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BARBER OUTFIT—For sale; complete; a bargain. Call at 1219 Franklin av., 2d floor.

BIGGEST BARGAIN IN CITY.

For sale, finely furnished 12-room house; every convenience; southern exposure; clearing over $100 month; house leased until 1904; good reasons for selling. 3109 Olive st.

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NEWSPAPER PLANT—For sale, modern newspaper and job printing plant, latest type, Vaughn Ideal press and Pearl jobber; cost $1200, for $475; located at 821 East Prairie av.; North Broadway car.

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STORE—For sale; retiring from business; confectionery and fruit store; old establishment; central location; cheap rent; 3-year lease. 803 N. 18th st.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

CINDERS WANTED—30 loads; new building, Vista and Teresa avs. 3320 Rutger st.

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NICKEL PLATING

Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; repairing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable prices. DEGEE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

COAL—Dorr's high-grade, 10c in 25-bushel lots or over delivered; distance limited. Edward Dorr, 2013 Market st. Phone Kin. C 82.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Rooms, 25c, 35c, 50c per day; weekly rates correspond.

BROADWAY, 1235 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; cook stoves; $1.50—$1.75 gents, 75c.

CARDINAL AV., 812 N.—Second floor front; other rooms; gentlemen; $1 each, with fire.

CARR ST., 1931—Large front room; southern exposure, with bath.

CHESTNUT ST., 1109½—Neatly furnished front rooms, for gentlemen or light housekeeping; all conveniences; reasonable.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1004-6-12-16-1326-32—Rooms; light housekeeping; furnished; $1.25 to $3; unfurnished 75c to $2; connecting rooms if desired. Webster, 1012 Chouteau.

DAYTON ST., 2801—Neatly furnished rooms for one or two gentlemen; rent reasonable.

EASTON AV., 3036—Nicely furnished rooms, $2 and $3; gas, bath, etc.; 1st and 2d floors.

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ELEVENTH ST., 404 N.—Newly furnished front and back rooms; one minute of postoffice.

ELEVENTH ST., 404 N.—Newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

ELEVENTH ST., 1535 N.—One nicely furnished 3d floor front room, for gentlemen only.

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FOURTEENTH ST., 1716 S.—Furnished front and back parlor for gentleman.

FOURTH ST., 12 N.—Clean rooms; $1 per week and upwards; bath, heat; stationery, daily papers and reading room free.

FRANKLIN AV., 3416—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure; modern conveniences; very reasonable.

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FRANKLIN AV., 1933—Furnished hall room; $1 per week.

FRANKLIN AV., 1408—Neatly furnished second-floor front; also housekeeping rooms, $1.50 and $2.

GARRISON AV., 720 N.—Neatly furnished second-story front and adjoining rooms; light housekeeping allowed.

GLASGOW AV., 1221—Newly furnished front room, with all conveniences, for two gents, with family of adults; corner Dayton st.

GRATTAN ST., 1319—Furnished rooms for gents, $1 week and up.

HICKORY ST., 2218A—Nice light basement room, in exchange for laundry.

LACLEDE AV., 3547—Newly furnished rooms to let; also 4 rooms for light housekeeping.

LA SALLE ST., 1410—Furnished front room, for two gents or housekeeping; also hall room.

LAWTON AV., 3134—Nicely furnished first floor front large housekeeping rooms; $3 weekly; all conveniences.

LINDELL AV., 3538—Newly and beautifully furnished rooms; all convs.

LOCUST ST., 2212—Two nicely furnished front rooms; hot and cold bath.

LOCUST ST., 2830A—Nicely furnished rooms.

LUCAS AV., 2927—2 connecting parlors; first floor; furnished; board reas.

LUCAS AV., 3018—Newly furnished front parlor; also room for housekeeping; clean house.

LUCAS AV., 3413—Front room on first floor; rear room on third floor; reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3020—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; gentleman only.

MARKET ST., 814—Nicely furnished rooms for gents only.

MARKET ST., 410 (near Broadway)—Large, light rooms for gentlemen; 35c, 50c day; $2 to $3 week.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1766—Three connecting rooms, on second floor, completely furnished for light housekeeping; hot bath, furnace heat; half block from Lafayette Park.

MORGAN ST., 2985A—Handsomely furnished room, in home of refined widow; gentlemen only.

MORGAN ST., 902—New furnished rooms, $2 per week and up; for gentlemen only.

NINTH ST., 815 N.—Large furnished front and hall rooms; gents, light housekeeping; $1 up.

OLIVE ST., 2913—Completely furnished housekeeping rooms for $2 and $1.75; also small room.

OLIVE ST., 1814—Large front room for 2 or 4 men, also hall room.

OLIVE ST., 2102—Nicely furnished rooms; furnace heat; gas, bath; also hall room.

OLIVE ST., 3748—Bright, airy room; steam heat, bath; private; meals across the street.

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PINE ST., 3016—Nice basement room, furnished complete for housekeeping; reas. to nice party.

PINE ST., 3016—Nicely furnished 2d story front and connecting rooms; single or en suite; reas.

SIXTH ST., 817 N.—Rooms, 15c, 20c, 25c; $1 per week and up; baths free; clean and quiet.

SIXTEENTH ST., 816 N.—Furnished front rooms; one or two gentlemen; $1.25 week up.

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WASHINGTON AV., 2826—Nicely furnished rooms; no light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 2627—Second story front room, also other rooms.

WEST BELLE PL., 4102—Two well furnished rooms for gentlemen; all conveniences; reference.

WEST END PL., 514—3 rooms, 2d and 3d floors, furnished or unfurnished; $10 and $8; 1st floor front, furnished, $8; baths.

WINDSOR PL., 3862—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

CALIFORNIA AV., 1652—Two nice furnished rooms with board.

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LOCUST ST., 1404—Elegantly furnished clean, comfortable rooms; hot bath; excellent board; $5 per week.

MORGAN ST., 2125—Nice rooms and board, $3.50 per week.

OLIVE ST., 3721—Neatly furnished room; good board; for two gentlemen; terms $16 month.

OLIVE ST., 4394—Furnished room, with board, for couple or gentlemen; exceptional accommodations.

PINE ST., 3435—Beautiful rooms and board; all home comforts; best table.

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SIXTEENTH ST., 1650 N.—Nicely furnished room; good board; for two, gents preferred.

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VERNON AV., 5736—Two nicely furnished front rooms, with or without board; Cabanne district.

WASHINGTON AV., 3145—Lovely rooms; best table board; all convs.

WASHINGTON AV., 3424—Nice room; so. ex.; with board; for 2 gentlemen; terms reasonable.

WINDSOR PL., 3789—Newly furnished front and back rooms in a new house; hot water heat, 7 bathrooms, house filter, large veranda, lawn, 1 tennis court; board first class.

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WEST BELLE PL., 4166—Two connecting front rooms, with good board; refs. exchanged.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

HOUSE WANTED—Modern 7 to 9-room house, for family of 3; will take long lease; rent $35 to $40 per month. Ad. J. Wetzel, 1009 Lucas av., care Ferguson-McKinney.

ROOMS WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms, separate entrance; in vicinity of 1314 Franklin; answer above address.

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ROOMS WANTED—Three nicely fur. rooms, complete for light housekeeping. Ad. M 40, P.-D.

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BOARD WANTED—Gentleman wishes to board in private family; West End preferred. Ad. M 66, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By young man, room, bath, breakfast, supper; $15; vicinity Grand and Olive. Ad. M 92, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By 2 young gentlemen within 25 blocks of postoffice. Ad. L 112, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young man desires room and board with private family; located between Grand and 20th, Lucas and Market; state terms. Ad. O 3, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED—Family of three adults wants two rooms, neatly furnished, with good board; state price and location. Ad. M 39, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATE WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Roommate for gentleman; also table board. 2918 Pine st.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

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EASTON AV., 3156—4-room fine flat; gas range, folding bed; all conv.

FLAT—Four-room, newly furnished flat; bath, kitchen. Office, 4219 West Belle pl.

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FRANKLIN AV., 3130—Modern 8-room house; lovely neighborhood; low rent; open. Owner, Sheehan, Houser building.

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FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

HOUSE WANTED—Furnished house of 6 or 7 rooms by small family; west of Grand av.; from April 1 to Sept. 1; reference. Ad. M 5, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS FOR RENT.

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ADAMS ST., 2338A—Four-room flat; first floor; modern conveniences.

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DESKROOM—Deskroom at office, room 33 Eoken bldg., 715 Locust st.

DESK ROOM—Use of telephones and private consulting room; best rooms in city; third-floor front, Carleton bldg.

FACTORY—For rent, 2-story brick factory; 50x130; with power. 1441 N. 19th st. P. Walsh.

MARKET ST., 408—Small store, suitable for office of any description.

SHOP—For rent, shop, suitable for carpenter or whitener; good location; rear 902 Morgan st.

STABLE—Large stable; plenty of wagon room. 1941 Warren st.

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LOUIS SCHUBERT—Piano tuner, now located at 2602 Franklin av.; firm Schubert & Moxter. Phone Bell Main 301 A.

NEW PIANOS—buy from the maker direct and save $50 to $100; elegant assortment at F. G. Smith, Mfr., 1012 Olive st.; A. E. Whitaker, Mgr.

PIANO—$145 buys fine mahogany upright piano; latest style. Schubert & Moxter, 2602 Franklin.

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WANTED—The name and address of every one expecting to buy, or thinking of purchasing a piano. We will pay handsomely for such information if a trade is effected. For full particulars write 312 Chemical bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

$300 Mahogany upright piano, nearly new.....$170
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Other squares $35, $35, $45, $75
Organs; closing them out.....$10 to $40
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ALL the rage; Prof. Schulte's select receptions Sunday afternoon and night. Academy, 2725 Franklin av.

BIG DANCE given by Hashagen Bros. at Social Turner Hall, 13th and Monroe, Sunday evening, March 16; reception every Wednesday evening.

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New storm buggies, from $100 upward; new runabouts from $45 upward; new surreys from $100 upward, and all kinds of second-hand vehicles at any old price, at John Decker's, 2002-4-6 Morgan st., the only agent in St. Louis for the GENUINE Columbus Buggy Co.'s Vehicles, of Columbus, O.

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PRIVATE lessons, shorthand, touch typewriting; day, exclusively ladies, $10 month; night, ladies and gentlemen, $5 month. Mrs. Barnes, 3501 Olive st.

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BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold. Call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut st.

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ATTENTION—Naomi Waters, St. Louis' favorite clairvoyant, gives valuable advice on stocks, business, etc.; she guarantees to cause speedy and happy marriage, reunites lovers, removes evil influence, develops personal magnetism and clairvoyant powers; your life from cradle to grave; sittings daily; all work guaranteed; reduced prices. Parlors, 2118 Olive st.

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ALL kinds of furniture, carpets, feathers; highest price; send postal. Bensinger, 2029 Franklin av.

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FEATHERS WANTED—Now is the time to have your old feather beds; good price; send postal. W. Flottmann, 1024 Allen av.

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS of all descriptions bought in any quantity; best prices guaranteed for entire contents of houses, flats and stores. Jones & Co., 1143 Olive st. Tel. C 742. Main 157.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.
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FURNITURE—For sale, one bedroom suit; will sell cheap. 2153A Palm st.

FURNITURE—Leaving city Saturday, will sacrifice high grade up-to-date furniture, the finest money could buy, including my elegant parlor suit, golden oak dining set, beautiful combination bookcase, leather couch, easy chairs, Vinnia Martin music cabinet, elegant brass beds, complete, genuine solid mahogany dressers, 9x12; rugs, drapes, curtains, elegant pictures, all like new, and must be seen to be appreciated; also, elegant upright piano 3720 West Pine; sell separately; no reasonable offer refused.

Stoves, Ranges, Etc.

GAS RANGE—For sale, gas range, 4-burner top, 1 double-burner oven and broiler; price reas. Call Monday, 2709 S. 10th.

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SEE OUR new ball-bearing machines; we have no agents; we sell all makes of high-grade machines direct from the factory at cut prices; 10c per day will buy a new drophead machine of any make you desire; new machines $8.50 up; machines slightly used $3 up; new machines rented; repairing a specialty; needles and parts for all makes of machines; open evenings. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin av. Kinloch D 972.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BEST for you because best made. Satin-Skin Cream and Powder. Use is proof, 25c. Barr's.

STEAM CARPET CLEANING.
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EMPIRE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.; carpets taken up, cleaned, made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Locust; phones Main 1131, Kin. C 966.

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L. BLUMENKRANZ & CO.,
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 1602 MARKET ST.
We will buy or sell you out; jewelry stocks a specialty.

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SPECIAL NOTICE—Being as my wife, Mary E. O'Donnell, has left my bed and board, this is to notify all that I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract in my name.
J. FRANK O'DONNELL.

STORE, BARBER & BAR FIXTURES.
14 words or less 20c.

FIXTURES—For sale; counter showcase and shelving, at 1719 Market st.

STORAGE.

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF STORAGE—New warehouses, Grand and Laclede avs.; for safe keeping furniture, pianos, valuables, trunks, boxes, etc.; first-class moving, packing, shipping, etc.; money advanced; get our rates; phone C 896. R. U. LEONORI, JR., & CO., 1219-21 Olive st.

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2315 Olive—Moving, packing, shipping; store in separate rooms. Tel., Main 2531A. W. H. Langdale, president.

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NEW YORK STORAGE CO., new warehouse, office, 811 Union Trust bldg., move, pack, ship or store household goods; 700 private rooms for storage. Tel. Main 264, 1307; Kinloch D 1334.

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14 Words or Less, 30 Cents.

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PERSONAL—O. K.: Write to P. H. G.

PERSONAL—Emely: Would like to see you as weather is suitable, if things are O. K.; state time through personal. G. I. K.

PERSONAL—Will persons who witnessed street car accident to aged gentleman at 8th and Franklin av., yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, please send their names and addresses to room 355, Century bldg.

PERSONAL—Pen: The master tarries in distant lands; his household longs for his return. Ink.

PERSONAL—J. Z. Walton: Letters at general delivery; write me at once. Mary G.

PERSONAL—Wanted, the address of H. Milton Waterman by his sister Ada. When last heard from he was in the Klondike region. Any information would be very gratefully received. Ada F. Waterman, Dora, Ark. Depot, Cherokee Junction, I. T.

ADOPTION.
14 words or Less, 20 Cents.

ADOPTION—Wanted, to adopt baby girl, about 1 month old, by married couple; will wait; state particulars. Ad. M 85, Post-Dispatch.

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A COMPLEXION of satin texture, clearness and beauty follows use of Satin-Skin Cream and Powder. 25c. Barr's.

A DIVORCE secured promptly by reliable attorney in business in the city for several years. Attorney, law office, 1002 Olive, 2d fl.

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ALL strangers visiting the city on limited time will find my office convenient; 1913 Market st., second floor, and get my guaranteed terms for confinement and adopting babies free; opposite Union Station; Mrs. Dr. Murphy, assisted by Dr. Grayme from Paris; private sanitarium; also parlors 2123 and 2125 Olive st.; ladies in trouble call or write.

DR. ANNIE NEWLAND, 2829 Olive st.; private, secluded, licensed home for ladies before and during confinement; oldest and most reliable lying-in institution in the city; established over 40 years; home comforts and motherly care; homes found for infants free; successfully treats all irregularities; ladies in trouble call or write.

DR. MARY ARTHURS, 2911 Morgan st., ladies' specialist; hours from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m.

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LADIES—$500 reward for a case of obstinate suppression, any cause, my monthly regulator fails to relieve; mail; harmless, veg.; safe; sure. How long suppressed. Dr. Jackson R. Co., R 805, 167 Dearborn st., Chicago.

LADIES—Try my monthly regulator; if in trouble call. Midwife, 1719 S. Jefferson; Kin. 1377D.

LADIES in trouble will not regret calling on Mrs. Holland; lowest terms; one to work for board before confinement. 2326 Pine st.

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LADIES in trouble call at private home before and during confinement. Mrs. Dr. Myers, 112 S. 14th st.

LADIES in trouble try our sure remedy; trial free. Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

LADIES—If in trouble save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.

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LOTS—For sale, 2 lots at Kinloch Park at Suburban and Wabash station block; one front 50 feet; apply 1200 N. 6th st.

LAND—Land, 100 acres; tracts to suit; two miles from Kirkwood; six miles from St. Louis; on Rock Road; plenty of water. J. N. Hughes, owner, Kirkwood, Mo.

FARMS WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FARM WANTED—To rent or buy small farm, 10 to 20 acres, with house and barn; near steam or electric road; within 20 miles of city. Ad. L 123, Post-Dispatch.

FARMS FOR SALE.
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FARMS—For sale, 120-acre Illinois farm, near St. Louis; very rich land; contains coal; price $3600; $600 cash. Ad. K 113, Post-Dispatch.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

HOTEL.
The owner of lot on S. E. corner 18th and Chestnut sts. will erect 100-room hotel to responsible tenant.
Mercantile Trust Co.,
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FOR RENT—Very Large, Desirable Office.
Reasonable Rent to Quiet Tenant.
See Room 709 Mermod & Jaccard Building.

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S. W. COR. TWELFTH AND OLIVE STS.,
OLD MERCHANTS' HOTEL SITE.
116 ft. 7 1-10 in. on Twelfth St. by 100 ft. on Olive St.
The undersigned special commissioners appointed by order of court will receive private sealed bids for above property on or before March 17, 1902. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for $10,000.00, payable to Henry Troll, Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Louis.
Title Guaranty Trust Co. will guarantee the title it desired and paid for by the purchaser.
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J. A. WEBB,
Care of Missouri Trust Co.
CHAS. A. ROBINSON,
206 Fullerton Building.
F. M. ESTES, Attorney, Carleton Building.

BANK STATEMENT WAS A SURPRISE

FAVORABLE SHOWING STARTED NEW YORK STOCKS UP.

SMALL DECREASE IN SURPLUS

Rock Island Was the Strong Feature, Advancing Over $4—Closing Was Steady.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Wall street was surprised today by the publication of an unexpectedly good bank statement. It showed that the banks had not lost as heavily as many had anticipated. There was light selling of railroads early, but when the bank statement appeared prices advanced rapidly.

There was a decrease of only $845,525 in the reserves of the banks. Loans decreased $14,372,000 and there was a falling off in deposits of $21,296,700.

The strong featrue of the market was Rock Island, which advanced $4.50. The bulge started buying of the standard rails. There was good inside buying of Gould specialties.

London gave the market no support. Traction stocks were firm and Manhattan was active.

The general list did not fully maintain prices, but the closing was fairly steady.

Statement of Associated Banks.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The statement of the Associated Banks for the week ending today, shows: Loans $920,730,100, decrease $14,320,000; deposits $984,370,000, decrease $21,296,700; circulation $31,497,900, increase $161,300; legal tenders $70,014,500, decrease $831,100; specie $179,190,900, decrease $5,338,600; reserves $249,205,400, decrease $6,169,700; reserve required $246,092,500, decrease $5,324,175; surplus $3,112,900, decrease $845,525.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, March 15, 2 p. m.—Consols for money, 94; consols for account, 94¼. Anaconda, 6½; Atchison, 77⅝; do pfd., 99; Baltimore & Ohio, 108; Canadian Pacific, 116⅝; Chesapeake & Ohio, 46¼; Chicago Great Western, 25; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 167½; Denver & Rio Grande, 44; do pfd., 93½; Erie, 36⅞; do 1st pfd., 68⅜; do 2d pfd., 55; Illinois Central, 143; Louisville & Nashville, 106⅞; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 24¾; do pfd., 55½; New York Central, 167; Norfolk & Western, 58; do pfd., 92½; Ontario & Western, 33¼; Pennsylvania, 77¼; Reading, 28; do 1st pfd., 41½; do 2d pfd., 34¼; Southern Railway, 33¾; do pfd., 98⅜; Southern Pacific, 66⅝; Union Pacific, 101½; do pfd., 89½; United States Steel, 44; do pfd., 97½; Wabash, 24; do pfd., 43½; Rand Mines, 11¼; De Beers, 41⅛; Spanish 4s, 76⅛. Bar silver quiet, 24 13-16d per ounce. Money, 2¾@3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 11-16@2¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three-months' bills is 2¾@2⅞ per cent.

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IN CASE OF SICKNESS OR OUT OF EMPLOYMENT, WE WILL EXTEND YOUR LOAN.
Remember, in dealing with us there are no advance charges whatever.
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$2.00 a Month on a Loan of $25.00
On furniture or any personal property; each payment on note reduces costs and interest. Other amounts in proportion. 202 N. 9th st., r. 502-503.

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Lends money on furniture, pianos, ranges and sewing machines, horses and wagons without removal; monthly payments; discount if paid before due. Phone Kinloch C 2173. Emilie bldg., 904 Olive st., room 209, second floor.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE.
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$500 CASH
Balance three years, 6 per cent, will buy
2607 LASALLE STREET.
Two-story, three-room brick, $2375.
LINCOLN TRUST CO.,
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HOUSE—For sale, 4-room house; lot 50x236; high and dry; $750. Ad. L 103, Post-Dispatch.

STOVE REPAIRS
A. G. BAUER, 316 NORTH THIRD STREET.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

DWELLING WANTED—To buy or lease about 7-room and bath dwelling; West End preferred. M 62, Post-Dispatch.

New York Stocks.

Reported daily by Orthwein Investment Co., rotunda Security Building.

NEW YORK, March 15.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Open	High	Low.	Cl'se
Amal. Copper	4,500	65	65⅝	65	65
Amer. C. & F. com.	300	31¾	32	31½	32
do pfd	300	89½	89½	89¼	89½
Ana. Mining Co.	400	31¼	31¼	31	31
At. T. & S. F. com.	1,300	75¼	75½	75¼	75½
do pfd	700	96¼	96⅝	96¼	96⅝
Bal. & Ohio com	100	105	105	104¾	105
Brook. Rap. Transit	3,300	64¾	65⅞	64½	65
Canadian Pacific	2,500	114	1 4	[illegible]	4
Ches. & Ohio	500	45⅜	45½	45⅜	45½
Chi. & Alton com.	2,700	35⅞	36	35⅝	36
Colo. Fuel & Iron	700	93¾	95¼	93¾	95
Colo. South. 1st pfd.	200	71	71½	71	71½
Con. Tob. 4s	75,000	66⅝	66¾	66½	66¾
Den. & R. G. com.	200	43⅜	43⅜	43¼	43¾
do pfd	200	91	91½	91	91½
Erie com.	2,500	35⅞	36¼	35⅝	35⅞
do 2d pfd.	400	53¼	53⅜	53⅛	53⅜
Great West com.	700	24	24¼	24	24¼
Illinois Central	500	140	140	139⅞	140
K. C. & Sou. com.	300	22	22⅛	22	22⅛
Louis. & Nash.	400	104	104⅛	103⅞	104⅛
Man. El. Con.	12,900	134¼	134⅜	134⅛	134⅜
Met. Trac. Co.	800	167⅛	167⅛	166½	167⅛
Mexican Central	2,300	29⅞	30¼	29⅞	30¼
Missouri Pacific	10,500	99	100⅛	98⅞	100⅛
N. Y. Central	1,100	162⅞	162⅞	162⅛	162⅞
Nor. & West. com.	400	56⅞	56⅞	56⅝	56⅞
Northwest com	2,600	229¾	231	228½	230⅞
Ont. & West	600	32½	32⅝	32⅛	32½
Pacific Mail	700	47⅝	47⅞	47½	47½
Pennsylvania	2,500	150⅞	151⅛	150⅝	151⅛
P. G. L. & C. Co.	200	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
Phil. & Rdg. com.	7,400	54⅜	55	54⅛	54⅞
do 1st pfd	1,400	80⅝	81	80⅝	80⅞
do 2d pfd	700	66¾	66⅞	66⅝	66⅞
Rep. Steel com	800	17⅛	17⅝	17⅛	17⅝
do pfd	1,700	73	74	73	74
Rock Island	4,200	168½	173	168½	172½
St. L. & S. W. com.	400	27	27	26¾	27
do pfd	4,500	58⅛	59¼	58	59¼
St. L. & S. F. com.	300	61	61	60¾	60⅞
St. Paul com	10,400	163⅞	164⅜	163⅞	164⅜
Southern Pacific	2,500	64⅜	64⅞	64¼	64⅞
Southern R. W. com	10,000	32⅞	33¼	32½	32⅞
do pfd	2,700	97	97⅛	96⅞	97
Sugar common	8,700	125¼	126	124⅝	126
Tennessee C. & I.	600	68	68½	68	68¼
Tol., S. L. & W. com	400	22¼	22½	21⅞	21⅞
do pfd	300	40	40	39¾	39¾
Union Pacific com.	2,400	98⅞	99	98⅝	99¼
do pfd	300	87	87⅞	86⅞	86⅞
United States Steel.	5,300	42¾	42⅞	42½	42½
do pfd	12,200	95	95⅜	95	95⅜
Wabash bs	95,000	74⅞	75¼	74⅝	75¼
do pfd	300	42⅝	42⅞	42⅝	42⅞
American Loco com	3000	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
Monon com	400	62⅞	62⅞	62½	62½
Southern com	500	46⅞	47½	46⅞	41½
Wis. Cen. pfd	300	43½	43¾	43½	43¾
Hocking Valley com	500	70¼	70¼	70¼	70½

Total sales stocks, 226,100. Money close at 3c.

New York Bond Sales.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Bond sales by thousands were as follows today:
U. S. cou. of 1907, 2 at 113.
Atch. gen. 4s, 3 at 105@105⅛.
do regd., 10 at 104.
do adj. 4s, 500 at 93½.
do stamped, 2500 at 94@94¼.
B. & O. gold 4s, 19 at 104@104⅜.
do con. deb. 4s, 2 at 106⅛.
do Sw. div. 4½s, 6 at 90⅝@90⅞.
Bklyn. Q. Co. & Sur. Congd. 5s, 7 at 101@101½.
B. R. T. 5s, 9 at 108½.
Bklyn. Un. Gas 5s, 15 at 118¼@118½.
Cen. Branch Ry. 4s, 3 at 93½.
Cen. Ga. con. 5s, 1 at 110⅝.
Cen. Pac. gtd. 4s, 5 at 102.
do gtd. 3½s, 16 at 88½@88⅝.
C. R. R. & Bkg. Co. of Ga. con. 5s, 1 at 109¼.
C. & A. 6s, 4 at 104½.
C. B. & Q. con. 7s, 1 at 103⅜.
Do 4s, 22 at 95⅝ to 95⅞.
C. & E. I. gen. 5s, 4 at 125.
C., M. & St. P. div. 6s, 2 at 116¼
do W. & M. div. 5s, 1 at 118⅜.
Ch. Term. Trans. 4s, 5 at 88½.
Col. Mid. 1st 3s and 4s, 5 at 86.
C. X. 1st 4s, 4 at 94⅜.
Con. Tob. 4s, 167 at 66½ to 66⅝.
D. & R. G. con. 4s, 6 at 103.
E. T. V. & G. con. 1st 5s, 1 at 121½.
Erie 1st con. 4s, 6 at 99½.
Ft. W. & R. G. 1st 3s and 4s, 10 at 89½.
C. F. S. & M. 4s, 5 at 93.
L. & N. unif. 4s, 11 at 107½.
Mex. Cent. con. 4s, 10 at 83.
do 1st inc., 356 at 33⅝ to 34¼.
do 2d inc., 10 at 23⅝.
M., K. & T. 2d 4s, 5 at 81⅞.
M. & O. col. trust 4s, 10 at 99
N. Y. Gas El. L. & P. Pur. Money 4s, 10 at 96½.
N. P. 4s, 3 at 105⅝.
Ogn. S. L. 1st con. 5s, 1 at 117⅞.
Rdg. gen. 4s, 13 at 99¼.
Rio G. W. 1st, 2 at 101.
do col. trust 4s, 2 at 94⅜.
St. L. I. M. & S. gen. 5s, 3 at 118½.
St. L. S.-W. 1st, 32 at 99@99¼.
do 2d, 36 at 80⅛@80¼.
S. A. & A. P. 4s, 5 at 91.
Scioto V. & N. E. 4s, 7 at 103½@103¼.
S. P. 4s, 13 at 94½@94¾.
do Cal. con. 5s stamped, 5 at 110⅞.
S. R. 1st 5s, 6 at 121½.
S. R. & T. inc., 96 at 12@12⅜.
Tex. Pac. 1st 5s, 1 at 120½.
Third Av. con. 4s, 31 at 101¼@101⅝.
T. St. L. & W. pr. lien 3½s, 5 at 90⅝.
U. P. 1st 4s regd., 6 at 105.
do con. 4s, 150 at 105⅞@106.
Wab. deb. B, 612 at 74⅞@75¼.
W. L. E. 1st con. 4s, 21 at 91⅛.
W. C. gen. 4s, 8 at 90.

COTTON.

ST. LOUIS, March 15.—Local market quiet and unchanged. Sales, 229.

Ordinary	7½c
Good ordinary	8⅛c
Low middling	8 5-16c
Middling	8 9-16c
Good middling	9 13-16c
Middling fair	9 5-16c

Tinged and stained ¼c to ⅜c off white.

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT.

	This year.	Last year.
Net receipts today	206	229
Net receipts since Sept. 1	164,434	218,115
Net shipments today	691	370
Net shipments since Sept. 1	151,139	152,979
Gross receipts today	1,966	690
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	705,911	799,102
Gross shipments today	2,451	831
Gross shipments since Sept. 1	692,616	643,174
Stock on hand	47,673	73,969

Reported by W. C. Lamping, representative of Ware & Leland.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Cotton futures closed very steady. Range of prices was as follows:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
March	8.91@8.92	8.97	8.94	8.89@8.90
April	8.91@8.92	8.98	8.88	8.89@8.90
May	8.81@8.82	8.86	8.77	8.78@8.79
June	8.84@8.85	....	....	8.81@8.82
July	8.87@8.88	8.92	8.83	8.84@8.85
August	8.68	8.71	8.64	8.64@8.65
September	8.28@8.30	8.31	8.28	8.27@8.28
October	8.08@8.09	8.11	8.08	8.08@8.09

NEW YORK, March 15.—Cotton futures closed barely steady; March, 8.89c; April, 8.89c; May, 8.78c; June, 8.81c; July, 8.84c; August, 8.64c; September, 8.27c; Oct., 8.08c; Nov., 7.96c; Dec., 7.96c. Spot cotton closed quiet; mid. ups., 9⅛c; mid. gulf, 9⅜c; sales, none.
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CHICAGO, March 15.—Butter firm; creameries, 18@25½c; dairies, 18@23c. Cheese steady; twins, 10⅝@11c; Daisies, 11@11½c; Young Americas, 12@12¼c. Eggs easy; at mark, cases included, 14½c. Dressed poultry steady; chickens, 9@11c; turkeys, 10@14½c.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Receipts, 3555 pigs; shipments, 1500 pigs. Zinc and spelter—Receipts, 5105 slabs; shipments, 3635 slabs.

Lead—Market steady; soft Missouri, $4, and chemical hard, $4 bid; $4.05 for desilverized.

Spelter—Market firm at $4.10.

GRAIN MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

CHICAGO, March 15.—Close—Wheat: March, 73⅝c; May, 75¼c; July, 75⅝c; Sept., 75⅜c. Corn—March, 61c; May, 62½@62⅝c; July, 62¼c; Sept., 60¼c; Dec., 59¼@59⅜c. Oats—March, 44⅝c; May, 45⅜@45½c; July, 36½c; Sept., 30⅜c. Pork—March, $15.25; May, $15.42½@15.45; July, $15.55. Lard—March, $9.30; May, $9.40; July, $9.50; Sept., $9.62½. Ribs—March, $8.35; May, $8.40@8.42½; July, $8.52½; Sept., $8.62½. Flax—Cash northwest, $1.62; southwest, $1.68; May, $1.73½. Rye—March, 55c; May, 56¼c; July, 56½c. Barley—Cash, 60@65c. Timothy—March, $6.65.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 15.—Close: Wheat—Cash, 73½@74c; May, 72⅝c; July, 74¼c; on track, No. 1 hard, 76c; No. 1 northern, 73½@74c; No. 2 do, 72c.

DULUTH, Minn., March 15.—Close: Wheat—Cash No. 1 hard, 76c; No. 2 northern, 70¼c; No. 1 northern, 73c; May, 74c; July, 75c. Oats, 42c. Corn, 61½c.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Cotton futures opened steady; March offered 9c; April, 8.92c; May, 8.81c; June, 8.80c; July, 8.87c; Aug., 8.67c; Sept., 8.28c; Oct., 8.08c; Nov., 7.97c; Dec., 7.97c.

NEW YORK, March 15, noon.—Wheat—Receipts, 228,000 bu; opened up on the cold wave west and was supported during the early forenoon by demands from room shorts; May, 81@81½c; July, 81⅝@81⅞c.

PEORIA, March 15.—Corn steady; No. 3, 60c. Oats inactive; No. 2 white, 45½c, billed through. Whisky—On the basis of $1.30 for finished goods.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—Wheat—Spot No. 1 northern spring, quiet, 6s 1d; No. 2 red western winter quiet, 6s ½d; No. 1 California firm, 6s 4d. Futures easy; March, 6s 1⅛d; May, 6s ⅝d; July, 6s. Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 5s 2d; American mixed, old, 5s 3d. Futures inactive; March 5s 1⅛d; May, 5s 2⅜d.

MISSOURI AND COLONIAL DROP

RUMOR THAT CONSOLIDATION PLANS FAILED THE CAUSE.

OTHER TRUST STOCKS UP

Transit Was Steady, but United Railways Preferred Sold Off at Saturday Session.

Missouri and Colonial Trust stocks which were the favorites of the trust list during the week, suffered a severe relapse during the session of the St. Louis Stock Exchange Saturday. Missouri declined $4 and Colonial $2.

The cause of the break was due to a rumor that there had been a setback in the plans to consolidate the two companies. Brokers had the tip early in the week that enough stock had been signed over to permit the consolidation. In fact, it was stated that the books were being gone over. Colonial was, so the story ran, to absorb Missouri.

It was believed this morning that the rumor of a failure of the plans was circulated to enable certain insiders to buy in Colonial stock. Arrangements for the consolidation are said to be progressing in a satisfactory manner.

But there was a rush to sell the stock. After the opening of the Stock Exchange Colonial dropped to $227 and Missouri was offered freely at $229.

Street railway issues were about steady and the trust list outside of Colonial and Missouri was much stronger.

The first sale of Colonial was made at $228. Then there was a rally to $228.50, but so much was offered that the price declined to $227. The consolidation rumor that there had been a setback on the consolidation plans had a bad effect on Missouri. The stock opened with a gain of $2 at $136, and sold down to $130, $4 below the close Friday afternoon

There was an excellent inquiry for other stock issues and trading in them was heavy.

Lincoln gained $1, selling up to $271. At the close $270 was bid for more. Mercantile was steady, 125 shares selling at $413. Ten shares of American Central sold at $168.50, which was bid for more. Seventy shares of St. Louis sold at $375 and more was wanted.

Union led the trust list with a gain of $11, 70 shares selling at $460, which was bid for more at the close.

Street railways received considerable attention. Transit was steady, opening at $29, selling down to $28.87½, and closing at $29. Over 600 shares changed hands.

United Railways preferred displayed weakness after selling early at $85.75. The stock declined to $85.25 on the sale of 150 shares, 25c below the close Friday. The 4s were stronger, $7000 worth selling at $88.75.

Third National was the strongest in the bank list, gaining $5.50 on the sale of 162 shares. The stock opened at $251 and sold up to $255.50. At the close $255 was bid.

The miscellaneous list was irregular. American Central Insurance declined $4, opening at $234. The demand was good and the stock rallied to $235.50 and closed with $235.25 bid.

Westinghouse Automatic Coupler was bid up to $48.50, St. Joe Lead to $16.50 and Simmons Hardware common to $177. For Granite-Bimetallic $2.60 was bid, but there was none for sale.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
St. Louis Transit	$ 29 00	$ 29 25
United Railways pfd	85 12½	85 87½
do 4s		88 87½
Suburban 5s		105 50
Colonial	227 00	228 00
Missouri	129 00	
Germania	202 50	203 25
Commonwealth (new)		326 00
Mercantile (old)	412 50	
do (new)	413 00	
St. Louis	375 00	
Title Guaranty	123 00	124 00
Union	460 00	
American Central	168 50	
Lincoln	270 00	272 50
Laclede Gas, com	89 00	
Mechanics' National		268 00
Third National	255 00	
Boatman's		214 00
St. Joseph Lead	16 50	
Westinghous Automatic Coupler	48 50	50 00
Brewery 6s	93 50	
Simmons Hardware, com	171 00	
Granite Bimetallic	2 60	
American Central Insurance	235 25	

SALES.

St. Louis Transit, 150 at $29, 100 at $28.87½, 25, 5, 50, 25, 10, 50, 15, 25 at $29.

United Railways preferred, 8 at $85.75, 25, 50, 35 and 50 at $85.25.

United Railways 4s, $1000, $5000 and $1000 worth at $88.75.

Colonial, 25 and 25 at $228, 5 at $228.50 and 10 and 10 at $270.

Missouri, 2 at $136, 10 at $133, 10 at $132 and 9 at $130.

Lincoln, 10 and 25 at $271, 15 and 10 at $270.

Third National Bank, 25, 25 and 12 at $253; 25 at $253; 25 at $254; 25 at $255.50 and 25 at $255.

Mercantile, new, 25 at $413.

American Central Trust, 10 at $168.50.

American Central Insurance, 10, 10 and 4½ at $234, ½ at $235.50, 10 and 10 at $235.

St. Louis Trust, 25, 10, 15 and 10 at $375.

Union Trust, 25, 25, 10 and 10 at $460.

Brewery 6s, $500 at $93.75.

Close of Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Close—Money on call steady at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87⅝ for demand and at $4.84¾@4.85 for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.88½; commercial bills, $4.84⅜@4.85⅜. Bar silver, 53¾c; Mexican dollars, 43¼c. Government bonds steady; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds steady. Government bonds closed as follows: Ref. 2s, reg., 109; cp., 109¼; 3s, reg. and cp., 109¼; new 4s, reg., 139; cp., 139¼; old 4s, reg., 111; cp., 113; 5s, reg. and cp., 106.

Cotton Market at Little Rock.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 15.—Cotton firm. Middling, 8⅜c. Receipts, 849 bales; this day last year, 1331; since Sept. 1, 217,601; this time last year, 185,498. Shipments, 662; this day last year, 311. Stock, 35,588; this day last year, 38,366.

CASH GRAIN MARKETS.

Wheat receipts at St. Louis today were 36,859 bu, compared with 45,076 bu a year ago. Of these 382 sks and 37 cars were local and 3 cars through, compared with 834 sks and 49 cars local and 5 cars through a year ago.

The cash situation today was dull and the market easier and lower, No. 2 red selling on a basis of 83½c to 84c, No. 3 at 83c, No. 2 hard at 75½c to 77½c.

Receipts of corn here today were 35,150 bu, compared with 81,660 bu a year ago. Of these 20 sks and 26 cars were local and 13 cars through, compared with 24 sks and 62 cars local and 40 cars through a year ago.

A good demand was had for cash corn and the shipping business was active, No. 2 selling at 62c, 62½c; No. 3, 61½c to 61⅝c; No. 3 yellow at 63c; No. 3 do at 62@63c; No. 2 white, 64½c to 65c.

Receipts of oats were 35,100 bu, compared with 54,000 bu a year ago. Of these 13 cars were local and 13 cars through, compared with 31 cars local and 14 cars through a year ago.

Cash oats in demand and strong. No. 2, 47½c to 48c; No. 3, 46½c to 47c; No. 2 white, 48c.

Western Movements of Grain.

	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
St. Louis	36,859	19,190	35,150	67,115
Chicago	54,650	19,425	82,350	25,106
Toledo	5,000	880	15,898	5,000
Detroit	6,000	....	7,000	756
Kan City	23,200	1,600	20,000	48,800
Milwaukee	28,000	1,600	5,700	4,700
Minneapolis	16,460	29,120	3,950	4,800
Duluth	50,564	1,001	....	4,518

Rates of Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Foreign exchange rates were as follows today:

London	487⅝
Paris	515⅝
Berlin	95⅛
Vienna	20⅝
Rome	525
Stockholm	27⅛
St. Petersburg	52⅜
Antwerp	515

United States Bonds.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Government bonds were closed as follows today:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s registered	109	109⅝
2s coupon	109½	110
3s registered	109¼	110
3s coupon	109¼	110
Small bonds	109¼	110
4s registered	111	111½
4s coupon	111	111½
4s registered, new	139	139½
4s coupon, new	139¼	139⅞
5s registered	106	107
5s coupon	106	107
District of Columbia	125½	....

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GRAIN MARKETS WERE STRONGER

WHEAT AND CORN CLOSE WITH FRACTIONAL GAINS.

WEATHER CONDITIONS BULLISH

Cables About Steady, Crop Movement Again Small and Speculation Was Light.

There was some little show of strength in this morning's grain situation, which permeated the whole market at the outset, but which was followed by a slight undertone of weakness later. The dealings in the pit were moderate all through the session, for the reason that it was the last day of the week and traders were not inclined to make new ventures or carry trades over Sunday. Still the feeling was more favorable to the long than the short side and the market held up well. The corn strength was an effective influence today and was reflected in other markets. Cables were comparatively steady, Liverpool reporting wheat closing only ⅛d off from yesterday, while corn was unchanged and firm. Paris was quiet and unchanged for both flour and wheat.

There was no increase in the crop movement, which was again reported light, local receipts of wheat being small at 36,859 bu, as compared with 45,076 bu a year ago. Corn receipts were 35,150 bu, against 81,660 bu a year ago, and oats 35,100 bu, compared with 54,000 bu last year. The primary receipts of wheat fell largely below those of a year ago, they amounting to 398,303 bu, compared with 628,000 bu last year. Shipments were 87,216 bu, against 288,000 bu. Corn receipts, compared with last year, were 170,084 bu, against 489,000 bu, and shipments 160,795 bu, against 284,000 bu. Oat receipts were 200,024 bu, compared with 391,000 bu, and shipments 212,936 bu, compared with 321,000 bu a year ago. The chief source of strength in wheat this morning was the good strong corn market and prospects for a cold spell, blizzard weather being reported in the Northwest. The opening for May was ⅛c higher at 82c and for July ⅛@¼c higher at 74⅝c. During the balance of the session the range was confined to ⅛c to ¼c for both these options, May selling at 81⅞c to 82c down to 81⅝c, and back to 81⅞c, while July sold up to 74⅝c, down to 74⅜c, and back to 74⅝c. The final figures for May were the same as the opening, at 82c, but July was ⅛c off at 74½c.

Corn showed a good undertone all through the session and did not vary one way or the other more than ¼c, the range for May being between 62⅜c, at which the market opened, and 62⅝c, the close being at 62½@62⅝c bid, or ⅛c to ¼c higher for the day. July ranged between 62⅜c to 62⅝c, closing better at 62⅝c asked.

The market for oats was a dead one all the way through, there being no trading in price, and the market opened the same as it closed, at 43c nominally bid May and 35¼c bid July.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yes'day.	Year ago.
Wheat	768,162	790,220	179,022
Corn	1,052,317	1,067,674	780,319
Oats	235,340	350,209	24,483
Rye	91,470	92,467	8,453
Barley	40,229	41,476	77
No. 2 red wheat	155,650	129,070	1,401,553
No. 2 hard	499,726	120,070	77
No. 2 mixed corn	579,894	557,188	410,225
No. 2 yellow	119,604	119,604	85,943
No. 2 mixed oats	93,601	94,513	....
No. 2 white	9,802	13,105	....
No. 2 rye	80,008	81,098	8,128

Rye and Barley.

Receipts of rye at St. Louis, none; shipments, 4555 bu; market stronger; No. 2, 62c.

Barley—Receipts, 3756 bu; shipments, none; market practically over with and nominal, 58@60c.

DEATHS.

FORSTER—On Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., C. August Forster, aged 48 years and 6 months, dear husband of Minnie Forster (nee Lorer), our father and brother.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., from residence, 1438 East Grand avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Interment private.

MAHONEY—Died on Friday, March 14, 1902, at 12 o'clock m., John Mahoney, beloved son of Edward and Annie Mahoney (nee Ryan), aged 4 years.

Funeral will take place Monday, the 17th inst., at 9 o'clock a. m., from family residence, 3725 Hickory street, to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

New York papers please copy.

RAWLINGS—Fannie C. Rawlings, beloved wife of B. M. Rawlings, and mother of George and Albert Hazzard, at 9 a. m., Saturday, March 15.

Funeral from residence, 5089 Washington avenue, at 1:30 Monday, to Cathedral Church, Newstead and Maryland, thence to Calvary.

VITZA—On Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 4 a. m., Wenzenzie Vitza, at 223 Dover street, Carondelet, at the age of 40 years 4 months.

Due notice will be given later.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

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GRANITE MOUNTAIN OIL COMPANY.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Granite Mountain Oil Company, held in Beaumont, Tex., Wednesday, March 5, 1902, at 4 p. m., a 4 per cent dividend was officially declared, payable to all stockholders of record April 1, 1902.

D. O. LIVELY, Treasurer.

Beaumont, Tex., March 5, 1902.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

TO THE stockholders of the Imperial Electric Light, Heat and Power Co.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the said corporation will be held at the office of the company, southeast corner of St. Charles and Tenth streets, in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on the 16th day of May, 1902, at nine o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposition to amalgamate, unite and consolidate with the Citizens' Electric Lighting and Power company, and the terms upon which said consolidation, if desirable, should take place, and a proposed agreement therefor, and such other matters as may arise incidental to such proposed consolidation, in accordance with the provisions of the revised statutes of the State of Missouri.

H. P. G. COATES, Secretary.
E. G. BRUCKMAN, President.

E. G. Bruckman, G. W. Wetmore, George R. Sheldon, C. A. Spofford, H. R. Miller, Jno. H. Drabelle, all the directors.

St. Louis, Mo., March 15, 1902.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the said corporation will be held at the office of the company, room 918, Rialto building, in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on the 16th day of May, 1902, at nine o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposition to amalgamate, unite and consolidate with the Imperial Electric Light, Heat and Power company, and the terms upon which said consolidation, if desirable, should take place, and a proposed agreement therefor, and such other matters as may arise incidental to such proposed consolidation, in accordance with the provisions of the revised statutes of the State of Missouri.

JULIUS S. WALSH, President.
PHILIP STOCK, Secretary.

Julius S. Walsh, Breckinridge Jones, Philip Stock, Wm. J. Lemp, Adolphus Busch, August Gehner, Wm. F. Nolker, Henry Nicolaus, Chas. H. Turner, Charles H. Ledlie, C. Marquard Forster, Sam'l M. Kennard, a majority of the directors.

St. Louis, Mo., March 15, 1902.

FINANCIAL.

$22,500 In Dividends

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Legitimate business methods in its organization and the economical conduct of its affairs have elevated Ground Floor to superiority over all other Beaumont investments. The enormous sum of $22,500 has actually been paid to its shareholders in dividends in the past three months, and men and women who were fortunate enough to buy stock at the time this company was organized have grown rich from the investment of small sums.

One woman invested $1000 six months ago—every dollar she could rake, scrape and borrow. Today she is worth $3000, and her dividend check for December was $250. Another stockholder took 1000 shares of Ground Floor for a debt of $200. His stock paid him $250 dividend in December, thus giving him his money back and $50. Today the stock that cost $200 has a market value on the Oil Exchange of $1950, but the lucky owner of the stock would not sell for $2.50 a share, for he knows that nearly every share of the treasury stock is sold.

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COUNCIL PASSES BOND BILL

World's Fair Bonds, 5000 of $1000 Denomination, Provided for as City's Subscription to Exposition.

By unanimous voe Friday the World's Fair bill passed the Ciy Council, authorizing the issuance of 5000 bonds, denomination $1000, as the subscription of the city of St. Louis to the Exposition.

The bonds, to be dated April 1, 1902, will bear 3¼ per cent interest, payable semi-annually, maturing in 20 years. The bill provides for creating a sinking fund.

The amendment offered by Capt. Hodges, requiring the company to return to the city whatever premium may be acquired from the sale of the bonds, was withdrawn.

The bill, it is believed, will pass the House of Delegates before April 1.

CITY NEWS.

Seek no further than the boys' Clothing Department of the CRAWFORD STORE when you want to outfit your boys in beautiful goods at most moderate prices!! You will miss it if you do!! Note one of the Sixth Street Windows.

NEWS OF CHURCHES

Baptist.

IMMANUEL.—Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Dr. John P. Greene, president William Jewell Baptist Church. A. M. B. Y. P. U., 7 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST (Beaumont and Locust)—Rev. W. W. Boyd, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Viper's Brood of Boodlers," a sermon on the local situation; 8 p. m., "Mary at the Cross," illustrated by choir and chorus from Gounod's "Redemption." Dr. Boyd gives his second discourse on Christ's death, "Mary at the Cross," illustrated by the church choir and chorus from Gounod's "Redemption," as follows: Tenor and bass solos, "Jesus at the Cross;" quartet and chorus, "Mary at the Cross," alto solo and chorus, "Mary's Watch;" bass and tenor solos, "The Two Thieves;" chorus, "Light and Salvation."

LAFAYETTE PARK.—Rev. T. C. Carleton, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Revival We Need;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Not Disobedient to the Heavenly Vision," and singing by a new organized male quartet.

CARONDELET.—Rev. E. Y. Edwards will preach morning and evening.

SECOND.—Rev. W. W. Boyd, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock; subject, "The Viperous Brood of Boodlers," a discourse on the local situation.

THIRD—Rev. W. J. Williamson, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Immortality in Two Worlds;" 3 o'clock in afternoon, men's meeting, subject, "Balance or the Perversion of Great Gifts;" evening, 7:45 o'clock, "Diligent Lest We Fail."

TAYLOR AVENUE.—Rev. R. E. Ewing, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Bond Secrets of Christ Jesus;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Christ the Shepherd."

DELMAR AVENUE.—Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, revival services continue, Rev. E. B. Pratt, state evangelist, preaching; evening, 8 o'clock, service as usual.

Catholic.

The old Whittaker residence on the corner of Garrison and Franklin avenues has recently been purchased by the Sisters of St. Joseph and the necessary changes are now being made in the building preparatory to the opening, which will occur some time after March.

Rev. James Sullivan, S. J., is giving conferences to select audiences at the home of Mrs. Lindsay on Lindell boulevard on Sunday afternoons during Lent. The conferences embrace a wide range of subjects.

The Catholic clergy of the archdiocese of St. Louis will hold their annual spring conferences immediately after Easter.

Sunday will be Passion Sunday, or the second Sunday before Easter.

A very instructive course of lectures on the "Duties of Parents to Their Children" is being given by the Rev. Fr. Bond, C. S. S. R., at the 9 o'clock mass on Sunday mornings at St. Alphonsus' (Rock) Church.

Christian.

FIRST CHURCH.—John L. Brandt, pastor. Subject, "The Lord's Day." Evening, "Is the Bible Right?"

SECOND.—W. Davies Pittman, minister; At 10 a. m., service combining Sunday school and church; 8 p. m., "The Book of Books."

CENTRAL.—Howard T. Cree, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

FIFTH.—J. F. Quisenberry, pastor. Morning, "Sunday School—Why and What;" evening, "Hell's Hallways and Keys."

COMPTON HEIGHTS.—J. N. Crutcher, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

MOUNT CABANNE.—Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor. Rev. W. W. Wharton will preach both morning and evening.

BEULAH.—W. A. Moore, pastor. Usual morning service; evening, "Parents and Children;" special invitation to parents of children in Bible school.

WEST END.—Frank Nicols, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

CARONDELET.—G. E. Ireland, pastor. Morning, "Elements of the New Life;" evening, "The Upward Calling."

ELLENDALE.—L. B. Coggins, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

TUXEDO.—J. A. Bennett, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

EAST SIDE.—W. A. Meloan, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

OLD ORCHARD (Village Hall).—Sunday school at 3 p. m.

Congregational.

FIRST.—Rev. C. H. Patton, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Paul the Practical Idealist;" evening, 8 o'clock, fifth sermon on "Life of Christ," illustrated by stereopticon, "The Perean Ministry."

Rev. Martin B. Bird, pastor of Hope Congregational Church, who for several years was engaged in the Bible extension work under the auspices of the Moody Institute, is preaching an interesting series of sermons on the Bible. The first sermon of the series, delivered last Sunday morning, was on the "Authenticity of the Bible." The second of the series, to be delivered next Sunday morning, is entitled "Our Bible."

HOPE CONGREGATIONAL (Belt and Easton avenues).—Rev. Martin B. Bird, pastor. Morning service, 11 a. m.; subject, "Our Bible," a continuation of the series of sermons on the Bible. Evening service, 8 p. m., "The Tried Stone."

MAPLEWOOD—George E. Bates, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Behold How He Loved Him;" evening, 7:30 o'clock, "The Great Physician."

FIRST (Webster Groves).—Rev. Charles L. Kloss, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, theme, "Incompatibility;" evening, address by Rev. A. K. Wray, "The Native Missourian—What to Do With Him."

Christian Churches (Non-Sectarian).

LINDELL.—Rev. Dr. Abraham E. Nelson, pastor. At 11 a. m., "Christian Education;" 8 p. m., "Working Out Salvation." Special music. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

TOWER GROVE AVENUE.—Rev. Dr. Abraham E. Nelson, pastor. At 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 2:30 p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor Society; 3:30 p. m., sermon by the pastor.

Episcopal.

ST. MARK'S.—Rev. J. K. Brennan, rector. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Tests of Christian Character;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Studies in Life of Christ," with the following special musical program:

Soprano Solo—Intermezzo .... Mascagni
Miss Marie Clapp.
Anthem—Let Thine Hand Help Me .... Warren
Boy Soprano Solo—Gently, Lord, O, Gently Lead Us .... Warren
Master Stanley Butler.
Violin Solo—Simple Aven Theme .... Warren
Chas. Seymour, Jr.
Anthem—What Are These .... Stainer

ST. GEORGE'S.—Rev. R. A. Holland, rector. Morning, 11 o'clock, sermon on Tennyson's "Sir Galahad," "My Strength Is as the Strength of Ten, Because My Heart Is Pure;" evening, prayer with sermon.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—Morning, 7 to 9 o'clock, holy communion; 11 o'clock, prayer and sermon by the dean on "Resurrection of the Dead;" evening, 8 o'clock, preaching by Canon Smith, "The American Church."

ST. ANDREW'S.—Rev. J. A. Dooris. At 7:30 a. m., holy communion; at 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 o'clock, morning service and sermon; 7:45 o'clock, evening service and sermon.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.—Rev. Dr. James R. Winchester, D. D., rector. Celebration of the holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOUSE—Rev. Henry Watson Mizner, head. Celebration of the holy communion at 7 a. m. and 9 a. m.

ST. JAMES' MEMORIAL.—At 7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 o'clock, morning prayer and sermon; 4 p. m., children's service; at 8 o'clock, evening prayer, sermon and confirmation. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Tuttle will officiate in the evening. On Monday morning, at the Episcopal clericus, the Rev. C. M. O. Mason will read a paper on "Pastoral Calling."

ST. PETER'S.—Rev. William Short, rector. Morning at 7:45, holy communion; at 9:30, Sunday school; at 11, morning prayer and sermon. Evening, at 8 o'clock evening prayer and sermon with special music in charge of Mr. Galloway.

Jewish.

TEMPLE SHAARE EMETH.—Morning service, 10:45 o'clock, discourse by Dr. E. G. Spencer on "The Worth of Common Things."

TEMPLE ISRAEL.—Gounod service of song. Morning service, 10:45. Discourse by Rabbi Leon Harrison. Subject, "The Higher Criticism and Jewish Theology." In honor of the return of Dr. Harrison from the East, Temple Israel has arranged a Gounod service of song. Among the anthems to be rendered are: "Lovely Appear Beyond the Mountains;" "The Lord Is Our Shepherd;" "From Thy Love as a Father;" "Sing Joyfully." Tuesday afternoon, Bible class at 4, as usual.

Methodist.

MOUNT AUBURN.—Rev. J. Stephan, pastor. Morning service as usual; evening subject, "Stoning Jesus." Rev. H. R. Singleton, an old pastor, will deliver an address for the Epworth League Monday evening on "Scattering Sunshine."

WAGONER PLACE.—Rev. T. E. Sharp, pastor. Morning sermon, evening song and evangelistic service.

LINDELL AVENUE.—Rev. D. Dorchester, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "Preparation for a Green Old Age;" evening, 8 o'clock, Tennyson's "In Memoriam," with special music.

UNION.—Rev. N. Luccock, pastor. Morning, "The Living Christ;" evening cantata, "The Holy City."

CABANNE.—Rev. J. S. Tilly, pastor. Morning, "Continuing Christ's Work;" evening, usual service.

FIRST (South).—Rev. Dr. H. G. Henderson, pastor. Morning, "Benefit of Waiting on the Lord;" evening, "God's Masterpiece."

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church at Tenth and North Market streets, which has undergone extensive repairs, will be reopened next Sunday. Bishop J. N. Fitzgerald, D. D., will preach the sermon in the morning and Rev. Joel A. Barker of the Bowman M. E. Church will preach in the evening. Rev. C. R. Carlos is the pastor. This is the oldest English speaking Methodist church in the city.

TRINITY.—Rev. C. R. Carlos, pastor. Reopening service. Morning service, Sunday school, 9:15, song service, prayer, Superintendent G. Geitz, the lesson, Acts. viii, 29-39; preaching, 10:45, organ voluntary, hymn, No. 776, Apostle's creed and prayer, anthem of praise, scripture lesson, offertory, hymn, No. 770, sermon by Bishop J. N. Fitzgerald, D. D., closing hymn, benediction; evening service, Epworth League, 7 o'clock, praise service, Bible lesson, "A Noble Purpose," Miss Clara Bauer, leader; preaching, 8 o'clock, organ voluntary, opening service, sermon by Rev. Joel A. Barker, pastor of Bowman Church; benediction. Special music by the choir, the Ladies' Quartet, the men's chorus and the Niedringhaus orchestra. A most cordial welcome to attend these services is extended to all.

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RAYMOND PLACE (Cumberland).—Rev. Taylor Barnard, pastor. Morning service as usual; no evening service.

CENTRAL.—Rev. J. Layton Mauze, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Is the Bible the Word of God?" Evening, 8 o'clock, "Remember Lot's Wife."

CURBY MEMORIAL.—Rev. E. D. Walker, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Glory of the Church;" evening, 8 o'clock, "The Seventh and Eight Beatitude."

NORTH.—Rev. A. T. Wolff, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Golden Calf;" evening, 8 o'clock, "The Fruits of Christianity Contrasted With the Fruits of Infidelity."

MARKHAM MEMORIAL.—Rev. Charles Stelzle pastor. Morning, "The Annunciation," first in a series on the life of Christ; evening, "The Switch Engine—Life's Humdrum Duties." In series on "Shop Studies;" prelude to evening sermon, "The Cast of the Saloon."

FIRST UNITED.—Rev. Charles B. Watson, pastor. At 11 a. m., "God's Great Investment;" 8 p. m., evening worship.

LEE AVENUE.—Rev. Henry Gardner, pastor. Morning, "Victories Gained in the Name of the Lord;" evening, "The Bright Side of Christian Experience."

LAFAYETTE PARK.—Rev. S. L. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 10:30 o'clock; pastor returned and will preach on "Able to Save to the Uttermost;" evening, 8 o'clock, service as usual.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH.—Rev. R. H. Bent, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, communion; Sunday school, 3 o'clock; evening service, 8 o'clock; special music in evening.

LUCAS AVENUE (Cumberland).—Rev. B. P. Fuller, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject, "The Gracious Invitation;" evening, 8 o'clock, "First Things First."

Reformed Churches.

MAPLE AVENUE.—Rev. John C. Horning. Morning sermon, "Humility;" evening, "First Things First."

SALEM (German).—Rev. W. F. Horstmeier. Morning and afternoon services.

Spiritualism.

THE SOCIETY OF SPIRITUAL RESEARCH.—Afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, natural philosophy; 3 o'clock, lecture, Rev. Mrs. E. B. Price, "Does the Intelligence or Soul Rest After Death?"

ST. LOUIS PROGRESSIVE UNION (De Lisle Hall).—At 2:30 p. m., truth-seekers' class; 3:15 p. m., address by Mr. Caldwell; essay by Mrs. Lee; demonstrations.

THE SELF-CULTURE SPIRITUAL CIRCLE.—Meetings every Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL UNITY.—Three p. m., Bible class; 7:45 p. m., lecture by Dr. L. L. Randolph on "Life—How to Prolong It; Health—How to Attain and Maintain It."

FIRST SPIRITUAL ASSOCIATION.—Thomas Grimshaw, lecturer; lyceum, 9:30 a. m.; 10:45, effect of electrical condition upon passive and positive states; 7:45 p. m., questions pertaining to the science, philosophy and religion of modern spiritualism answered.

Unitarian.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH.—Rev. John W. Day, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "Saints and Sinners;" evening, lecture, 8 o'clock.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY.—At 11 a. m. Rev. Edward G. Spencer, pastor and Rev. Dr. Samuel Sale of Temple Shraare both will conduct the services; subject, "Did the Jews Reject Jesus?"

Other Churches.

ROCK CHURCH.—Preaching 11 o'clock a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; F. A. Smith, pastor. Wednesday evening prayer service, 8 o'clock. Religio Society every Friday at 8 p. m.

MANCHESTER AVENUE.—Prayer meeting at 2:30 p. m., Sunday; Wednesday evening service, 8 o'clock. Religio Tuesday, 8 p. m.

MORGAN FORD ROAD.—Preaching at 8 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST (Christian Science).—10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.; subject, "Matter;" Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

ETHICAL SOCIETY.—Morning at 11 o'clock, address by Dr. John L. Elliott of New York City on "Death and Its Consolations."

Mission Notes.

ST. PAUL'S.—Evening sermon.

VANDEVENTER.—Mr. H. Bishop in charge. Morning, 9:30 o'clock, Sunday school; evening, 8 o'clock, preaching.

ST. THOMAS' MISSION FOR THE DEAF.—Rev. James H. Cloud, minister. Morning, 11 o'clock, holy communion and sermon; 10 o'clock, Bible class.

MISSION OF THE ADVENT.—Rev. Dr. J. C. Quinn assisting. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

OPEN DOOR MISSION AND HOME.—Gospel services every night at 7:30; Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

UNION MISSION—M. B. Gott, pastor. Sunday services, 9:30 a. m., band and praise service conducted by Mrs. Karr; 11 a. m., preaching by Mrs. H. V. Vickers; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; 3:30 p. m., Bible reading by Mrs. Lowry; 7 p. m., praise service by Y. P. S. C. E.; 8 p. m., preaching by M. B. Gott.

Hotel Changes Hands.

The St. James Hotel changed hands on the 12th inst., Mr. Charles A. Spalding becoming proprietor of the hotel. Mr. Thos. P. Miller has been appointed manager. The hotel will be thoroughly renovated and put in first-class condition. It will be conducted as a first-class American and European plan hotel at popular prices. American plan, $2.00 per day; European, 75c and up.

Religious News.

Mrs. L. Knight of Chicago, who is largely known in Missouri and St. Louis, and who has been so long interested in the Sunday School Union, will arrive in St. Louis today in time to talk before a meeting of the Sunday School Union of St. Louis at 316 North Eighth street on the third floor at 2 o'clock.

Rev. A. S. Tidwell, who has been for some time conected with the Union Mission, has resigned his position.

Rev. M. L. Cole, pastor of the First M. E. Church at Upper Alton, has determined, through the assistance of the Epworth League, to establish a flower mission and labor bureau at that place. This work will be in charge of Miss Ethel Large, chairman of the mercy and help committee and Frank Powless and James McGowen. The object of the flower mission is to supply the hospitals of St. Louis and Alton with fresh flowers. The members of the league have determined to plant flowers themselves this spring, so as to be better able to carry out this work.

The tenth international (fifteenth national) Sunday school convention, representing the United States and territories, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines, the British North American provinces, Mexico and Cuba will be held in Denver, Colo., in June. Mr. R. M. Scruggs, Mr. W. J. Semelroth, Mr. W. H. McClain, Mr. H. Brinsmade, Mr. C. C. Nichols, Rev. A. B. George are some of the officers of the ninth international convention.

The Sunday School International Evangel has a large circulation. Mr. R. M. Scruggs is greatly interested in this paper. Mr. W. H. McClain is the business manager. Mr. W. J. Semelroth is editor and Mrs. W. J. Semelroth is primary editor.

The next meeting of the congress of the St. Louis Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, 2540 North Grand avenue, on next Monday evening, March 17. Supper will be served at the church at 7 o'clock.

Beginning on March 10 Mrs. Alfred Franklin Smith began a series of three song recitals. The first was given Monday evening, March 10, at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wilkinson, Woodlawn. Mrs. Smith was assisted by Miss Myrna Mae Kent, a young pianist of note, having recently returned from New York City, where she took a finishing course. Mr. William C. May presided at the piano as accompanist. No special topic was used, but choice selections from Rubenstein, Mendelssohn, Chopin and others constituted the program.

The second of these recitals will be given the first week in April, when Mrs. Leslie Fenton Potter, one of Kirkwood's prominent pianists, will assist Mrs. Smith.

The third will follow two weeks later at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Tausig of Clay avenue. A young lady violinist from out of town will assist on this occasion, and Mr. George W. Tausig will accompany.

These recitals promise to be very interesting and entertaining. The offering for these will be given to the Young Ladies' Society of the Methodist Church at Kirkwood, to be applied on the fund for the new pipe organ they are contemplating buying. There will be no tickets, as each comes by invitation, of which over 300 will be sent out. Due to this feature of the affair each recital will partake of the nature of a social function.

MORGAN MEETINGS.—The Rev. G. Campbell Morgan will speak at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Twenty-ninth street and Washington avenue, on Sabbath afternoon at 4 o'clock. The doors will be opened at 3:30. Mr. Morgan will hold services during the week, Saturday excepted, at 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. The doors will be opened a half-hour before the service.

Rev. C. E. Pattillo, D. D., pastor of Lafayette Park M. E. Church, South, will speak next Sunday afternoon at 4:30 at the men's meeting of the South Side Y. M. C. A., 1800 South Eighteenth; subject, "A Young Man Untained Amid the Temptations of Social Life." There will be special music.

The congress of the St. Louis Christian Endeavor Union will convene at the Church of the Covenant, 2540 North Grand avenue, Monday evening, March 17, at 8 o'clock. Supper at the church will be served to members of congress at 7 o'clock, so that many can leave from their places of business and go direct to the church and arrive in time for this interesting feature of the program.

The following has been proposed by Mr. J. R. Preston as an amendment to the constitution. The same to be considered at this meeting:

"Resolved, That the constitution of the Christian Endeavor Union be amended by striking out paragraph B of section 1, article 12, which is as follows: 'The German division shall be composed of all German Endeavor Societies in the Union.' "

It is expected that all of the societies will be represented at this meeting of congress, and come prepared to make their financial pledges for the year, as suggested by Treasurer Geo. W. Lubke, Jr., at last meeting.

The interest in the union work has been growing. Societies are reporting progress in many directions.

On Sunday evening, March 23, there will be a special service at the Lindell Avenue Christian Church for the Bricklayers' International Unions of the city. Special program of music is being arranged for the occasion and Dr. Nelson will speak on unionism.

The South Side division of the C. E. Union met at the Tyler Place Church on March 14. Rev. D. S. Leland, S. I. McClelland and G. W. Lubke, Jr., gave the addresses.



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COUNCIL PASSES BOND BILL

World's Fair Bonds, 5000 of $1000 Denomination, Provided for as City's Subscription to Exposition.

By unanimous voe Friday the World's Fair bill passed the City Council, authorizing the issuance of 5000 bonds, denomination $1000, as the subscription of the city of St. Louis to the Exposition.

The bonds, to be dated April 1, 1902, will bear 3½ per cent interest, payable semi-annually, maturing in 20 years. The bill provides for creating a sinking fund.

The amendment offered by Capt. Hodges, requiring the company to return to the city whatever premium may be acquired from the sale of the bonds, was withdrawn.

The bill, it is believed, will pass the House of Delegates before April 1.

CITY NEWS.

Seek no further than the boys' Clothing Department of the CRAWFORD STORE when you want to outfit your boys in beautiful goods at most moderate prices!! You will miss it if you do!! Note one of the Sixth Street Windows.

NEWS OF CHURCHES

Baptist.

IMMANUEL.—Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Dr. John P. Greene, president William Jewell Baptist Church, A. B. Y. P. U., 7 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST (Beaumont and Locust)—Rev. W. W. Boyd, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Viper's Brood of Boodlers," a sermon on the local situation; 8 p. m., "Mary at the Cross," illustrated by choir and chorus from Gounod's "Redemption." Dr. Boyd gives his second discourse on Christ's death, "Mary at the Cross," illustrated by the church choir and chorus from Gounod's "Redemption," as follows: Tenor and bass solos, "Jesus at the Cross;" quartet and chorus, "Mary at the Cross," alto solo and chorus, "Mary's Watch;" bass and tenor solos, "The Two Thieves;" chorus, "Light and Salvation."

LAFAYETTE PARK.—Rev. T. C. Carleton, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Revival We Need;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Not Disobedient to the Heavenly Vision," and singing by a new organized male quartet.

CARONDELET.—Rev. E. Y. Edwards will preach morning and evening.

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THIRD.—Rev. W. J. Williamson, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Immortality in Two Worlds;" 3 o'clock in afternoon, men's meeting, subject, "Balance or the Perversion of Great Gifts;" evening, 7:45 o'clock, "Diligent Lest We Fail."

TAYLOR AVENUE.—Rev. R. E. Ewing, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Bond Secrets of Christ Jesus;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Christ the Shepherd."

DELMAR AVENUE.—Rev. J. T. M. Johnson, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, revival services continue, Rev. E. B. Pratt, state evangelist, preaching; evening, 8 o'clock, service as usual.

Catholic.

The old Whittaker residence on the corner of Garrison and Franklin avenues has recently been purchased by the Sisters of St. Joseph and the necessary changes are now being made in the building preparatory to the opening, which will occur some time after March.

Rev. James Sullivan, S. J., is giving conferences to select audiences at the home of Mrs. Lindsey on Lindell boulevard on Sunday afternoons during Lent. The conferences embrace a wide range of subjects.

The Catholic clergy of the archdiocese of St. Louis will hold their annual spring conferences immediately after Easter.

Sunday will be Passion Sunday, or the second Sunday before Easter.

A very instructive course of lectures on the "Duties of Parents to Their Children" is being given by the Rev. Fr. Bond, C. S. S. R., at the 9 o'clock mass on Sunday mornings at St. Alphonsus' (Rock) Church.

Christian.

FIRST CHURCH.—John L. Brandt, pastor. Subject, "The Lord's Day." Evening, "Is the Bible Right?"

SECOND.—W. Davies Pittman, minister; At 10 a. m., service combining Sunday school and church; 8 p. m., "The Book of Books."

CENTRAL.—Howard T. Cree, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

FIFTH.—J. F. Quisenberry, pastor. Morning, "Sunday School—Why and What;" evening, "Hell's Railways and Keys."

COMPTON HEIGHTS.—J. N. Crutcher, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

MOUNT CABANNE.—Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor. Rev. W. W. Wharton will preach both morning and evening.

BEULAH.—W. A. Moore, pastor. Usual morning service; evening, "Friends and Children;" special invitation to parents of children in Bible school.

WEST END.—Frank Nicols, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

CARONDELET.—G. E. Ireland, pastor. Morning, "Elements of the New Life;" evening, "The Upward Calling."

ELLENDALE.—L. B. Coggins, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

TUXEDO.—J. A. Bennett, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

EAST SIDE.—W. A. Meloan, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

OLD ORCHARD (Village Hall).—Sunday school at 3 p. m.

Congregational.

FIRST.—Rev. C. H. Patton, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Paul the Practical Idealist;" evening, 8 o'clock, fifth sermon on "Life of Christ," illustrated by stereopticon, "The Person Ministry."

Rev. Martin B. Bird, pastor of Hope Congregational Church, who for several years was engaged in the Bible extension work under the auspices of the Moody Institute, is preaching an interesting series of sermons on the Bible. The first sermon of the series, delivered last Sunday morning, was on the "Authenticity of the Bible." The second of the series, to be delivered next Sunday morning, is entitled "Our Bible."

HOPE CONGREGATIONAL (Belt and Easton avenues).—Rev. Martin B. Bird, pastor. Morning service, 11 a. m.; subject, "Our Bible," a continuation of the series of sermons on the Bible. Evening service, 8 p. m., "The Tried Stone."

MAPLEWOOD.—George E. Bates, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Behold How He Loved Him;" evening, 7:30 o'clock, "The Great Physician."

FIRST (Webster Groves).—Rev. Charles L. Kloss, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, theme, "Incompatibility;" evening, address by Rev. A. K. Wray, "The Native Missourian—What to Do With Him."

Christian Churches (Non-Sectarian).

LINDELL.—Rev. Dr. Abraham E. Nelson, pastor. At 11 a. m., "Christian Education;" 8 p. m., "Working Out Salvation." Special music. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

TOWER GROVE AVENUE.—Rev. Dr. Abraham E. Nelson, pastor. At 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 2:30 p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor Society; 3:30 p. m., sermon by the pastor.

Episcopal.

ST. MARK'S.—Rev. J. K. Brennan, rector. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Tests of Christian Character;" evening, 8 o'clock, "Studies in Life of Christ," with the following special musical program:

Soprano Solo—Intermezzo ..... Mascagni
Miss Marie Clapp.

Anthen.—Let Thine Hand Help Me ..... Warren

Boy Soprano Solo—Gently, Lord, O, Gently Lead Us ..... Warren
Master Stanley Butler.

Violin Solo—Simple Aven Theme ..... Warren
Chas. Seymour, Jr.

Anthem—What Are These? ..... Stainer

ST. GEORGE'S.—Rev. R. A. Holland, rector. Morning, 11 o'clock, sermon on Tennyson's "Sir Galahad," "My Strength Is as the Strength of Ten, Because My Heart Is Pure;" evening, prayer with sermon.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—Morning, 7 to 9 o'clock, holy communion; 11 o'clock, prayer and sermon by the dean on "Resurrection of the Dead;" evening, 8 o'clock, preaching by Canon Smith, "The American Church."

ST. ANDREW'S.—Rev. J. A. Doorly. At 7:30 a. m., holy communion; at 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 o'clock, morning service and sermon; 7:45 o'clock, evening service and sermon.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.—Rev. Dr. James R. Winchester, D. D., rector. Celebration of the holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOUSE.—Rev. Henry Watson Mizner, head. Celebration of the holy communion at 7 a. m. and 9 a. m.

ST. JAMES' MEMORIAL.—At 7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 o'clock, morning prayer and sermon; 4 p. m., children's service; at 8 o'clock, evening prayer, sermon and confirmation. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Tuttle will officiate in the evening. On Monday morning, at the Episcopal clericus, the Rev. C. M. O. Mason will read a paper on "Pastoral Calling."

ST. PETER'S.—Rev. William Short, rector. Morning at 7:46, holy communion; at 9:30, Sunday school; at 11, morning prayer and sermon. Evening, at 8 o'clock evening prayer and sermon with special music in charge of Mr. Galloway.

Jewish.

TEMPLE SHAARE EMETH.—Morning service, 10:45 o'clock, discourse by Dr. E. G. Spencer on "The Worth of Common Things."

TEMPLE ISRAEL.—Gounod service of song. Morning service, 10:45. Discourse by Rabbi Leon Harrison. Subject, "The Higher Criticism and Jewish Theology." In honor of the return of Dr. Harrison from the East, Temple Israel has arranged a Gounod service of song. Among the anthems to be rendered are: "Lovely Appear Beyond the Mountains;" "The Lord Is Our Shepherd;" "From Thy Love as a Father;" "Sing Joyfully." Tuesday afternoon, Bible class at 4, as usual.

Methodist.

MOUNT AUBURN.—Rev. J. Stephan, pastor. Morning service as usual; evening subject, "Stonings Jesus." Rev. H. R. Singleton, an old pastor, will deliver an address for the Epworth League Monday evening on "Scattering Sunshine."

WAGONER PLACE.—Rev. T. E. Sharp, pastor. Morning sermon, evening song and evangelistic service.

LINDELL AVENUE.—Rev. D. Dorchester, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "Preparation for a Green Old Age;" evening, 8 o'clock, Tennyson's "In Memoriam," with special music.

UNION.—Rev. N. Luccock, pastor. Morning, "The Living Christ;" evening cantata, "The Holy City."

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Presbyterian.

RAYMOND PLACE (Cumberland).—Rev. Taylor Barnard, pastor. Morning service as usual; no evening service.

CENTRAL.—Rev. J. Layton Mause, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "Is the Bible the Word of God?" Evening, 8 o'clock, "Remember Lot's Wife."

CURRY MEMORIAL.—Rev. E. D. Walker, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Glory of the Church;" evening, 8 o'clock, "The Seventh and Eight Beatitude."

NORTH.—Rev. A. T. Wolff, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Golden Calf;" evening, 8 o'clock, "The Fruits of Christianity Contrasted With the Fruits of Infidelity."

MARKHAM MEMORIAL.—Rev. Charles Stelzle pastor. Morning, "The Annunciation," first in a series on the life of Christ; evening, "The Switch Engine—Life's Humdrum Duties." In series on "Shop Studies;" prelude to evening sermon, "The Cast of the Saloon."

FIRST UNITED.—Rev. Charles R. Watson, pastor. At 11 a. m., "God's Great Investment;" 8 p. m., evening worship.

LEE AVENUE.—Rev Henry Gardner, pastor. Morning, "Victories Gained in the Name of the Lord;" evening, "The Bright Side of Christian Experience."

LAFAYETTE PARK.—Rev. S. L. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 10:30 o'clock; pastor returned and will preach on "Able to Save to the Uttermost;" evening, 8 o'clock, service as usual.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH.—Rev. R. H. Bent, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, communion; Sunday school, 3 o'clock; evening service, 8 o'clock; special music in evening.

LUCAS AVENUE (Cumberland).—Rev. B. P. Fuller, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject, "The Gracious Invitation;" evening, 8 o'clock, "First Things First."

Reformed Churches.

MAPLE AVENUE.—Rev. John C. Horning. Morning sermon, "Humility;" evening, "First Things First."

SALEM (German).—Rev. W. F. Horstmeier. Morning and afternoon services.

Spiritualism.

THE SOCIETY OF SPIRITUAL RESEARCH.—Afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, natural philosophy; 8 o'clock, lecture, Rev. Mrs. E. B. Price, "Does the Intelligence or Soul Rest After Death?"

ST. LOUIS PROGRESSIVE UNION.—De Lisle Hall.—At 2:30 p. m., truth-seekers' class; 3:15 p. m., address by Mr. Caldwell; essay by Mrs. Lee; demonstrations.

THE SELF-CULTURE SPIRITUAL CIRCLE.—Meetings every Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL UNITY.—Three p. m., Bible class; 7:45 p. m., lecture by Dr. L. L. Randolph on "Life—How to Prolong It; Health—How to Attain and Maintain It."

FIRST SPIRITUAL ASSOCIATION.—Thomas Grimshaw, lecturer; lyceum, 9:30 a. m.; 10:45, effect of electrical condition upon passive and positive states; 7:45 p. m., questions pertaining to the science, philosophy and religion of modern spiritualism answered.

Unitarian.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH.—Rev. John W. Day, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "Saints and Sinners;" evening, lecture, 8 o'clock.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY.—At 11 a. m. Rev. Edward G. Spencer, pastor, and Rev. Dr. Samuel Sale of Temple Shaare both will conduct the services; subject, "Did the Jews Reject Jesus?"

Other Churches.

ROCK CHURCH.—Preaching 11 o'clock a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m., by Rev. P. J. Smith, pastor. Wednesday evening prayer service, 8 o'clock. Religio Society every Friday at 8 p. m.

MANCHESTER AVENUE.—Prayer meeting at 2:30 p. m., Sunday; Wednesday evening service, 8 o'clock. Religio Tuesday, 8 p. m.

MORGAN FORD ROAD.—Preaching at 8 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST (Christian Science).—10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.; subject, "Matter;" Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

ETHICAL SOCIETY.—Morning at 11 o'clock, address by Dr. John L. Elliott of New York City on "Death and Its Consolations."

Mission Notes.

ST. PAUL'S.—Evening sermon.

VANDEVENTER.—Mr. H. Bishop in charge. Morning, 9:30 o'clock, Sunday school; evening, 8 o'clock, preaching.

ST. THOMAS' MISSION FOR THE DEAF.—Rev. James H. Cloud, minister. Morning, 11 o'clock, holy communion and sermon; 10 o'clock, Bible class.

MISSION OF THE ADVENT.—Rev. Dr. J. C. Quinn assisting. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

OPEN DOOR MISSION AND HOME.—Gospel services every night at 7:30; Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

UNION MISSION.—M. B. Getz, pastor. Sunday services, 9:30 a. m., band and praise service conducted by Mrs. Karr; 11 a. m., preaching by Mrs. H. V. Hickey; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; 3:30 p. m., Bible reading by Mrs. Lowry; 7 p. m., praise service by Y. P. S. C. E.; 8 p. m., preaching by M. B. Getz.

Hotel Changes Hands.

The St. James Hotel changed hands on the 12th inst., Mr. Charles A. Spalding becoming proprietor of the hotel. Mr. Thos. P. Miller has been appointed manager. The hotel will be thoroughly renovated and put in first-class condition. It will be conducted as a first-class American and European plan hotel at popular prices. American plan, $2.00 per day; European, 75c and up.

Religious News.

Mrs. L. Knight of Chicago, who is largely known in Missouri and St. Louis, and who has been so long interested in the Sunday School Union, will arrive in St. Louis today in time to talk before a meeting of the Sunday School Union of St. Louis at 316 North Eighth street on the third floor at 2 o'clock.

Rev. A. S. Tidwell, who has been for some time conected with the Union Mission, has resigned his position.

Rev. M. L. Cole, pastor of the First M. E. Church at Upper Alton, has determined, through the assistance of the Epworth League, to establish a flower mission and labor bureau at that place. This work will be in charge of Miss Ethel Large, chairman of the mercy and help committee and Frank Powless and James McGowen. The object of the flower mission is to supply the hospitals of St. Louis and Alton with fresh flowers. The members of the league have determined to plant flowers expressly for the meeting, so as to be better able to carry out this work.

The tenth international (fifteenth national) Sunday school convention, representing the United States and territories, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines, the British North American provinces, Mexico and Cuba will be held in Denver, Colo., in June. Mr. M. Somelroth, Mr. W. W. Somelroth, Mr. W. H. McClain, Mr. H. Brinsmade, Mr. C. C. Nichols, Rev. A. B. George are some of the officers of the ninth international convention.

The Sunday School International Evangel has a large circulation. Mr. R. M. Scruggs is greatly interested in this paper. Mr. W. H. McClain is the business manager. Mr. W. J. Somelroth is editor and Mrs. W. J. Somelroth is primary editor.

The next meeting of the congress of the St. Louis Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, 2540 North Grand avenue, on next Monday evening, March 17. Supper will be served at the church at 7 o'clock.

Beginning on March 10 Mrs. Alfred Franklin Smith began a series of three song recitals. The first was given Monday evening, March 10, at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wilkinson, Woodlawn. Mrs. Smith was assisted by Miss Myrna Mae Kent, a young pianist of note, having recently returned from New York City, where she took a finishing course. Mr. William C. May presided at the piano as accompanist. No special topic was used, but choice selections from Rubenstein, Mendelssohn, Chopin and others constituted the program.

The second of these recitals will be given the first week in April, when Mrs. Leslie Fenton Potter, one of Kirkwood's prominent pianists, will assist Mrs. Smith.

The third will follow two weeks later at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Tausig of Clay avenue. A young lady violinist from out of town will assist on this occasion, and Mr. George W. Tausig will accompany.

These recitals promise to be very interesting and entertaining. The offering for these will be given to the Young Ladies' Society of the Methodist Church at Kirkwood, to be applied on the fund for the new pipe organ they are contemplating buying. There will be no tickets, as each comes by invitation, of which over 300 will be sent out. Due to this feature of the affair each recital will partake of the nature of a social function.

MORGAN MEETINGS.—The Rev. G. Campbell Morgan will speak at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Twenty-ninth street and Washington avenue, on Sabbath afternoon at 4 o'clock. The doors will be opened at 3:30. Mr. Morgan will hold services during the week, Saturday excepted, at 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. The doors will be opened a half-hour before the service.

Rev. C. R. Pattillo, D. D., pastor of Lafayette Park M. E. Church, South, will speak next Sunday afternoon at 4:30 at the men's meeting of the South Side Y. M. C. A., 1800 South Eighteenth; subject, "A Young Man Untained Amid the Temptations of Social Life." There will be special music.

The congress of the St. Louis Christian Endeavor Union will convene at the Church of the Covenant, 2540 North Grand avenue, Monday evening, March 17, at 8 o'clock. Supper at the church will be served to members of congress at 7 o'clock, so that many can leave from their places of business and go direct to the church and arrive in time for this interesting feature of the program.

The following has been proposed by Mr. J. R. Preston as an amendment to the constitution. The same to be considered at this meeting:

"Resolved, That the constitution of the Christian Endeavor Union be amended by striking out paragraph B of section 1, article 12, which is as follows: 'The German division shall be composed of all German Endeavor Societies in the Union.'"

It is expected that all of the societies will be represented at this meeting of congress, and come prepared to make their financial pledges for the year, as suggested by Treasurer Geo. W. Lubke, Jr., at last meeting.

The interest in the union work has been growing. Societies are reporting progress in many directions.

On Sunday evening, March 23, there will be a special service at the Lindell Avenue Christian Church for the Bricklayers' International Unions of the city. Special program of music is being arranged for the occasion and Dr. Nelson will speak on unionism.

The South Side division of the C. E. Union met at the Tyler Place Church on March 14. Rev. D. R. Lelland, F. L. McClelland and G. W. Lasley, Jr., gave the addresses.

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